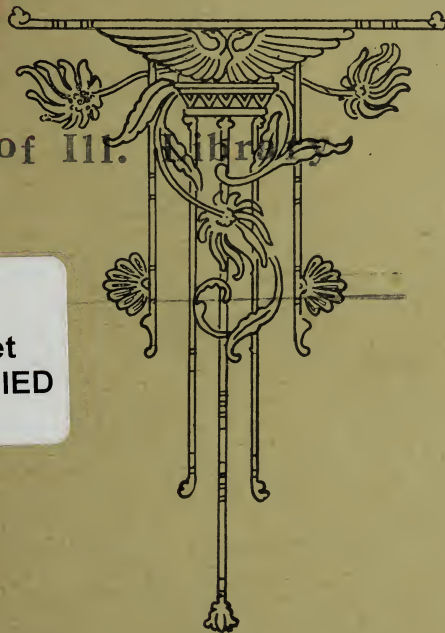


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CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I.

NAME.

This Association shall have for its name the WESTERN INTER-COLLEGIATE AMATEUR ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

ARTICLE II.

OBJECT.

The object of the Association shall be the control and development of amateur track and field sports among the colleges of the western United States.

ARTICLE III.

MEMBERS.

Membership in this Association shall be limited to institutions which have collegiate standing.

ARTICLE IV.

OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The officers of the Association shall be the President, the Vice-President, the Secretary-Treasurer, and the members of the Graduate Executive Committee.

SEC. 2. The President shall be a representative of that member of the Association which scores the highest number of points at the Championship Games of the year preceding his term of office. He shall be an undergraduate at the time of his election; by undergraduate is meant undergraduate in any department. He shall be elected by the aforesaid member and his credentials forwarded to the Secretary-Treasurer no later than November 15 of the year in which the aforesaid member has become entitled to make such election.

SEC. 3. The Vice-President shall be a representative of that member of the Association which scores the next to the highest number of points at the Championship Games of the year preceding his term of office. He shall be elected in the same manner and subject to the same qualifications as the President.

SEC. 4. The Secretary-Treasurer shall be a resident of the city of Chicago, and shall be elected by the Graduate Executive Committee and from its own number, and shall hold the office during the pleasure of the Graduate Executive Committee.

SEC. 5. The members of the Graduate Executive Committee shall be residents of the city of Chicago, and shall be alumni of the institutions which they represent. No member of the said Committee shall have any student or professional connection with that member which he represents, but this clause shall not operate to affect any present member of the Committee. Each of the nine ranking members of the Association at the Championship Games of the Academic year preceding shall be entitled to a representative upon the aforesaid Committee, and shall appoint said representative, and forward his credentials to the Secretary-Treasurer, before November 15th of each year. Members of the aforesaid Committee shall continue in office until notice of the election of their successors has been received by the Secretary-Treasurer.

SEC. 6. The officers of the Graduate Executive Committee shall be a Chairman and a Secretary-Treasurer, who shall be elected by the Committee at its first regular meeting in each Academic year.

ARTICLE V.

ATHLETIC GAMES.

SECTION 1. The Annual Championship Games of the Association shall be held in the city of Chicago on the first Saturday of June.

SEC. 2. At the discretion of the Graduate Executive Committee one indoor meet may be held annually in the city of Chicago. Such meet shall be held in the name of the Association, and shall be open only to members of the Association; but the Association

shall assume no financial responsibility for such meet, nor shall such meet be a championship meet.

ARTICLE VI.

BUSINESS MEETINGS.

SECTION 1. The Annual Business Meeting of the Association shall be held in the city of Chicago upon the evening of the day of the Annual Championship Games.

SEC. 2. At all business meetings each member may be represented by no more than three delegates, and shall have no more than one vote.

SEC. 3. Any alumnus of any member of the Association may be present at any meeting of the Association, may make motions at such meeting, and may participate in discussion.

SEC. 4. There shall be no voting by proxy.

ARTICLE VII.

DUES.

The annual dues shall be \$5 from each member. The payment of said dues shall accompany the making of entries to the Championship Games, and entries shall not be allowed unless accompanied by said dues.

ARTICLE VIII.

SUSPENSION AND EXPULSION.

SECTION 1. The Graduate Executive Committee may suspend any member, for cause, by a two-thirds vote. At the Annual Business Meeting next following such suspension the Association shall either reinstate said member by a majority vote or expel by a two-thirds vote.

SEC. 2. No suspended member shall be reinstated, nor shall any member which has been expelled or which has forfeited its membership be readmitted without the payment of all back dues and assessments.

ARTICLE IX.

FORFEITURE.

Any member which for two successive years shall fail to compete at the Championship Games of the Association shall forfeit its membership.

ARTICLE X.

GAMES OFFICIALS.

No person who has ever had any official connection with any member of this Association shall be permitted to act as an official at any games of the Association.

ARTICLE XI.

NEW MEMBERS.

Upon the receipt of a written application for admission into the Association, the Secretary-Treasurer shall at once submit such application to a mailed vote of the Association. Such application must be accompanied by an admission fee of \$5. It shall require a two-thirds vote of the Association to admit a new member.

ARTICLE XII.

COMPACT.

Each member agrees to abide by the Constitution, By-Laws and Rules of this Association.

ARTICLE XIII.

AMENDMENTS.

No addition, alteration, or amendment shall be made to this Constitution or to the By-Laws of this Association save by a two-thirds vote of the Association.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association, and may, upon his own motion, put any matter to vote before the Association. He shall have power to call meetings of the Graduate Executive Committee, and may, upon his own motion, put any matter to vote before that body.

SEC. 2. The Secretary-Treasurer shall keep the minutes of the Association and of the Graduate Executive Committee. He shall have charge of and be responsible for all writings and moneys belonging to the Association, and shall submit a report to the Association at its Annual Business Meeting. Such report shall, before its presentation to the Association, have been approved by an accountant and sub-committee appointed by the Graduate Executive Committee. The Secretary-Treasurer shall deposit bond in the amount of \$500 with some person designated by the Graduate Executive Committee.

SEC. 3. The Graduate Executive Committee shall have entire charge and direction of all athletic meets of the Association. This Committee shall also direct the general policy of the Association, and shall make a report to the Association at each Annual Business Meeting. The said Committee shall also have power to levy special assessment on the members of the Association, not to exceed fifteen dollars in any one year.

ARTICLE II.

ENTRIES AND PROTESTS.

SECTION 1. Entries to the Championship Games shall close at least eighteen days before the day assigned for the games, and shall be filed with the Secretary-Treasurer.

SEC. 2. All entries shall be made on printed entry blanks furnished by the Secretary-Treasurer, and such blanks shall have printed on their face the rules of eligibility of this Association, and also a certificate in the following form, which certificate shall be signed by the Chairman of the Faculty Board of Athletic Control of the college from which the competitors are entered: "I hereby certify that the following men, — in number, are eligible according to the above articles of the Constitution and By-Laws of the W. I. A. A. A."

SEC. 3. At least fifteen days before the annual games a printed list of all the entries shall be sent by registered mail by the Secretary-Treasurer to all members of the Association. Protests against competitors and evidence in support thereof must be filed with said Secretary-Treasurer at least ten days before the annual games. At the time such protests and evidence are sent, duplicates thereof shall be sent, by registered mail, to the Board of Athletic Control of that institution which has entered the protested competitor or competitors. Any defense to such protests must be filed with the Secretary-Treasurer at least *five* days before the games; such defense shall be of the nature of counter-proofs under oath, and duplicate copies of such counter-proofs shall be sent by the protested member to the protesting member by registered mail at least five days before the games. The eligibility of the protested man shall be decided by the Board of Athletic Control of his institution on the basis of such evidence and such decision shall be final.

SEC. 4. Evidence of the service of such copies of entries, protests, and counter-proofs referred to in this Article shall be made by United States registered mail receipts, signed by the proper athletic authorities of the college to which said copies have been sent.

SEC. 5. Whenever a breach of the amateur rules of the Association is brought to the knowledge of the Graduate Executive Committee, otherwise than in the manner above specified, the said Committee shall have power to take such steps as it shall deem necessary to insure the amateur character of the games; provided that this discretion shall not be exercised so as to de-

prive any man entered as a competitor of an opportunity for a defense.

ARTICLE III.

NUMBER OF ENTRIES.

SECTION 1. No member shall enter more than eight men for any one event, or start more than three.

SEC. 2. No member having unpaid dues or assessments owing the Association shall be allowed to compete at the Championship Games.

ARTICLE IV.

VOTING BY MAIL.

SECTION 1. The Secretary-Treasurer, upon the written request of the President, or of three members of the Association, or upon the order of the Graduate Executive Committee, shall submit any motion to a mailed vote of the Association. Such mailed vote shall close thirty days from the date upon which the motion is mailed by the Secretary, and the votes then received shall constitute a quorum of the Association.

SEC. 2. Within five days after the closing of said vote with the Secretary-Treasurer, he must mail to each member of the Association a copy of the question and the result of the vote thereon, to wit: the number voting for and in opposition thereto, with a statement of whether said question has been carried or defeated.

ARTICLE V.

RESERVE AND SURPLUS.

SECTION 1. After a reserve fund of \$300 has been set aside the net profits of the Annual Championship Games shall be divided among the competing members of the Association upon a basis of mileage and competing entrants.

SEC. 2. The aforesaid reserve fund shall be deposited in the name of the Secretary-Treasurer in the savings department of some bank designated by the Graduate Executive Committee, and may be drawn upon only by written order of the Secretary-Treasurer under the direction of the Graduate Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VI.

PAYMENT OF BILLS.

All bills shall be presented to the Graduate Executive Committee for auditing. In case of approval the chairman shall affix his signature, with date, which shall be an order upon the Secretary-Treasurer to pay.

RULES FOR AWARDING THE SPALDING TROPHY

1. The trophy shall be competed for annually at the championship meeting of the W. I. A. A. from 1895 to 1903, inclusive, and shall become the permanent property of the college which shall win a plurality of the nine annual contests.

2. The following shall be the method for counting in deciding the winning college annually: First place shall count 5 points, second place shall count 3 points, and third place shall count 1 point. The college whose students win the largest total of points on the above basis shall be winners for that year, and the name of the college, together with the number of points scored, shall be engraved upon the trophy.

3. The Graduate Executive Committee of the W. I. A. A. is appointed trustee of the trophy.

4. The trophy shall be delivered to the winning college each year within ten days after the games of said year; said winning college, through proper representatives, shall furnish a bond to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Association in the sum of \$250, conditioned on the return of the trophy in good order not later than the first day of May of the year succeeding the winning of the cup, said bond to be signed by at least one member of the faculty of said winning college. On the said first day of May the trophy shall be returned to the Graduate Executive Committee, and shall be held by them until the championship games.

5. In the case of two or more colleges scoring an equal number of points, then, if one of those colleges shall have been champion for the previous year, that college shall continue to hold the championship and trophy for the ensuing year.

6. In the case of two or more colleges scoring an equal number of points, if neither of those colleges shall have been champion for the previous year, then the championship shall be held in abeyance for the ensuing year, and merely the names of the colleges that make the tie shall be inscribed on the trophy, and the trophy shall be kept for the year by the Graduate Executive Committee.

RULES OF ELIGIBILITY

RULE I.

No person shall be allowed to compete at any athletic meet of this Association who is not an amateur as set forth in Rule II. of these RULES OF ELIGIBILITY.

RULE II.

DEFINITION OF AN AMATEUR.

An amateur is a person who has never competed in an open competition, or for money, or under a false name, or with a professional for a prize, or with a professional where gate money is charged, nor has ever at any time taught, pursued, or assisted at athletic exercises for money, or for any valuable consideration. But nothing in this definition shall be construed to prohibit the competition between amateurs for medals, cups, or other prizes than money. And it is hereby expressly declared that this definition is retroactive.

To prevent any misunderstanding in reading the above, the Association draws attention to the following explanations and adjudications:

An athlete has forfeited his right to compete as an amateur, and has thereby become a professional, by—

(a) Ever having competed in an open competition of any sort of athletic exercise—*i. e.*, a competition the entries to which are open to all, irrespective as to whether the competitors are amateurs or professionals, and whether such competition be for a prize or not.

(b) Ever having competed for money in any athletic exercise.

(c) Ever having competed under a false name in any athletic exercise.

(d) Ever having knowingly competed with a professional for a prize, or where gate money is charged, in any athletic exercise.

(e) Ever having taught or pursued as a means of livelihood any athletic exercise.

(f) Ever having directly or indirectly accepted or received remuneration for engaging in any athletic exercise.

An athlete shall hereafter forfeit his right to compete as an amateur, and shall thereby become a professional, if, at any time, he shall—

(a) Directly or indirectly receive payment for training or coaching any other person in any athletic exercise.

(b) Directly or indirectly receive payment for services personally rendered in teaching any athletic exercise.

(c) Directly or indirectly receive payment for services rendered as Referee, Judge, Umpire, Scorer, Manager, Director, or in any other capacity at any professional or amateur exhibition or contest of any athletic exercise whatsoever.

Note.—Nothing herein shall be construed to prohibit the acceptance by any amateur of his necessary traveling expenses incurred as Referee, Judge, Umpire, Scorer, or Starter, in going to and from the place of any amateur contest.

Directly or indirectly run, manage or direct, for prospective profit, any professional exhibition or contest.

An amateur shall not forfeit his right to compete as an amateur, and shall not become a professional, by—

(a) Receiving compensation for services rendered as ticket-taker or ticket-seller at any contest or exhibition of amateur athletics.

(b) Receiving compensation for services personally rendered as Secretary, Treasurer, Manager, or Superintendent of any amateur athletic club.

(c) Receiving compensation as editor, correspondent, or reporter of, or contributor to, any sporting, athletic, or other paper or periodical.

(d) Running, managing, or directing, for prospective profit, any sporting, athletic, or other paper or periodical.

(e) Receiving compensation for services personally rendered as official handicapper, under the direction and authority of any amateur athletic association.

(f) Receiving from a club of which he shall be a member the amount of his expenses necessarily incurred in traveling to and from the place of any amateur contest.

(g) Nothing in this rule shall be construed so as to consider a man a professional who has played on a college team against a professional.

RULE III.

FOUR-YEAR LIMIT.

A person shall be allowed to compete in four Championship Meets, and no more. . . .

RULE IV.

RESIDENCE.

No person shall be allowed to compete at the Championship Games as the representative of different members of the Association in immediately successive years unless he shall have taken a Bachelor's degree in the meantime. (For example, an undergraduate who has competed as the representative of a certain member of the Association at the Championship Games of 1898 shall not be permitted to appear as the representative of any other member of the Association before the games of 1900, and then only if he shall not have competed at the Games of 1899 except as provided above.)

RULE V.

STUDENT QUALIFICATIONS.

SECTION I. No person shall be allowed to compete at the Championship Games who has not been a student in good and regular standing at the college or university he represents since the 15th of the preceding January. Except that students who are absent by reason of sickness shall not be rendered ineligible by reason of such absence. In case a competitor's qualifications as to such regular attendance are questioned, he shall file with the Secretary-Treasurer, as directed in Article II. of the By-Laws, a certificate signed by three members of the faculty of the college or university he represents, stating that he regularly performs

university work amounting to at least eight hours a week, and has done so since the 15th of the preceding January; and such certificate shall be conclusive.

SEC. 2. No student, graduate or undergraduate shall be allowed to compete at the Championship Games as the representative of an institution from which he receives compensation for regular instruction.

RULES OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES

RULE I.

ORDER OF EVENTS.

The order of events at the Championship Games shall be as follows:

TRACK EVENTS.

1. 120 yards hurdle race, trial heats.
2. 100 yards run, trial heats.
3. 1 mile run.
4. 440 yards run, trial heats.
5. 1 mile bicycle race, trial heats.
6. 100 yards run, final heat.
7. 120 yards hurdle race, final heat.
8. One lap bicycle race, trial heats.
9. 440 yards run, final heat.
10. 220 yards run, trial heats.
11. 1 mile bicycle race, final heat.
12. 220 yards hurdle race, trial heats.
13. 880 yards run.
14. One lap bicycle race, final heat.
15. 220 yards run, final heat.
16. 1 mile walk.
17. 220 yards hurdle race, final heat.

FIELD EVENTS.

1. Discus throw.
2. Running high jump.
3. Putting the 16-lb. shot.
4. Running broad jump.
5. Throwing the 16-lb. hammer.
6. Pole-vault.

RULE II.

CHAMPIONSHIP.

SECTION 1. That member shall be champion which shall score a plurality of points at the Championship Games.

SEC. 2. Points shall be counted as follows: The first place in each event shall count five points, the second place in each event shall count three points, the third place in each event shall count one point. In case of a tie in any place the points shall be divided.

SEC. 3. In the case of two or more members scoring an equal number of points, then if one of these members shall have been champion for the previous year, that member shall continue to hold the championship for the ensuing year.

SEC. 4. But in case the champion of the previous year be not of those members described in Sec. 3 of this Rule, and that two or more members shall score an equal number of points, then for the ensuing year the championship shall be held in abeyance.

ATHLETIC RULES

RULE I.

OFFICIALS.

SECTION I. All meetings must be under the direction of:

The Graduate Executive Committee,
One Referee,
Two or more Inspectors,
Three or more Field Judges,
Three Judges at finish,
Three or more Timekeepers,
One Judge of Walking,
One Starter,
One Clerk of the Course,
One Scorer,
One Marshal.

SEC. 2. If deemed necessary, assistants may be provided for the Judge of Walking, the Clerk of the Course, the Scorer and the Marshal, and an Official Announcer may be appointed.

RULE II.

THE GRADUATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

in all meetings must be constituted, have the jurisdiction and perform the duties as prescribed in the Constitution and By-Laws of the Association.

This Committee shall have jurisdiction of all matters not assigned by these rules to the Referee or other games officials.

RULE III.

THE REFEREE

must decide all questions relating to the actual conduct of the meeting, whose final settlement is not otherwise covered by these rules.

He alone must have the power to change the order of events as laid down in the official programme, and to add to or to alter the announced arrangement of heats in any event. A Referee has no authority, after heats have been drawn and published in a programme, to transfer a contestant from one heat to another.

When in any but the final heat of a race a claim of foul or interference is made, he shall have the power to disqualify the competitor who was at fault, if he considers the foul intentional, and shall also have the power to allow the hindered competitor to start in the next round of heats, just as if he had been placed in his trial.

When in a final heat a claim of foul or interference is made he shall have the power to disqualify the competitor who was at fault, if he considers the foul intentional, or due to his carelessness or conduct, and he shall also have the power to order a new race between such of the competitors as he thinks entitled to such a privilege.

If, during any athletic contest under the rules of the W. I. A. A. A., a competitor shall conduct himself in a manner unbecoming a gentleman or offensive to the officials, spectators or competitors, the Referee shall have the power to disqualify him from further competition at the meeting; and if he thinks the offense worthy of additional punishment, must promptly make a detailed statement of the facts to the Graduate Executive Committee of the Association.

RULE IV.

THE INSPECTORS.

It shall be the duty of an Inspector to stand at such point as the Referee may designate; to watch the competition closely, and in case of a claim of foul to report to the Referee what he saw of the incident.

Such Inspectors are merely assistants to the Referee, to whom they must report, and have no power to make any decision.

RULE V.

THE JUDGES AT FINISH

must determine the order of finishing of contestants, and must

arrange among themselves as to noting the winner, second, third, fourth, etc., as the case may require, and there must always be two judges whose duty must be to choose the winner.

Their decision in this respect must be without appeal, and in case of disagreement a majority must govern.

RULE VI.

THE FIELD JUDGES

must make an accurate measurement and keep a tally of all trials of competitors in the high and broad jumps, the pole-vaults, and the weight competitions.

They must act as judges in these events, and their decisions must likewise be without appeal. In case of disagreement a majority must govern. There must be at least three judges for every event.

RULE VII.

THE TIMEKEEPERS

must be three in number and must individually time all events where time record is called for. At the conclusion of each heat each timekeeper must present his watch to the Referee for inspection, and he must decide the official time. Should two of three watches mark the same time and the third disagree, the time marked by said two watches must be accepted. Should all three disagree, the time marked by the intermediate watch must be accepted.

The *Flash* of the pistol must denote the actual time of starting.

If, for any reason, only two watches are held on an event, and they fail to agree, the longer time of the two must be accepted.

Note.—For record, however, three watches must be held on an event.

RULE VIII.

THE STARTER

must have sole jurisdiction over the competitors after the Clerk of the Course has properly placed them in their positions for the start.

The method of starting must be by pistol report, except that in time handicap races the word "go" must be used.

An actual start must not be effected until the pistol has been *purposely* discharged after the competitors have been warned to get ready.

In case the pistol was not purposely discharged the competitors shall be called back by the starter by pistol fire. (NOTE.—The starter must have at least two good cartridges in his pistol before starting a heat.)

When any part of the person of a competitor touches the ground in front of his mark before the starting signal is given, it must be considered a false start.

Penalties for false starting must be inflicted by the Starter, as follows:

In all races up to and including 125 yards the competitor must be put back one yard for the first and another yard for the second attempt; in races over 125 yards and including 300 yards, two yards for the first and two more for the second attempt; in races over 300 yards and including 600 yards, three yards for the first and three more for the second attempt; in races over 600 yards and including 1,000 yards, four yards for the first and four more for the second attempt; in races over 1,000 yards and including one mile, five yards for the first and five more for the second attempt; in all races over one mile, ten yards for the first and ten more for the second attempt.

In all cases the third false start must prevent his competing in that event.

The Starter must rule out of that event any competitor who attempts to advance himself from his mark, as prescribed in the official programme, after he has given the warning to "get ready."

RULE IX.

THE CLERK OF THE COURSE

must be provided with the names and the numbers of all entered competitors, and he must notify them to appear at the starting line before the start in each event in which they are entered.

RULE X.

THE JUDGE OF WALKING

must have sole power to determine the fairness or unfairness of walking, and his rulings thereon must be final and without appeal.

He must caution any competitor whenever walking unfairly; the third caution to disqualify, except that he must immediately disqualify any competitor when walking unfairly during the last 220 yards of a race.

He must control his assistants, and assign to them such of his duties as he may deem proper.

RULE XI.

THE SCORER

must record the order in which each competitor finishes his event, together with the time furnished by the Referee.

He must keep a tally of the laps made by each competitor in races covering more than one lap, and must announce by means of a bell or otherwise when the leading man enters the last lap.

He must draw up a list of the actual competitors in each event, which shall be filed with the papers of the Association, and shall be the official record of competing entrants, and shall be final evidence in the enforcement of Rule III. of the Rules of Eligibility.

He must control his assistants, and assign to them such of his duties as he may deem proper.

RULE XII.

THE MARSHAL

must have full police charge of the enclosure, and must prevent any but officials and actual competitors from entering or remaining therein.

He must control his assistants, and assign to them their duties.

RULE XIII.

THE OFFICIAL ANNOUNCER

must receive from the Scorer and Field Judges the result of each event, and announce the same by voice, or by means of a bulletin board.

RULE XIV.

COMPETITORS

must report to the Clerk of the Course immediately upon their arrival at the place of meeting, and must be provided by that official with their proper numbers, which must be worn conspicuously by the competitors when competing, and without which they must not be allowed to start.

Each competitor must inform himself of the time of starting, and must be promptly at the starting point of each competition in which he is entered, and there report to the Clerk of the Course.

Under no conditions shall any attendants be allowed to accompany competitors at the start or during any competition.

RULE XV.

TRACK MEASUREMENT.

All distances run or walked must be measured upon a line eighteen inches outward from the inner edge of the track, except that in races on straightaway tracks the distance must be measured in a direct line from the starting mark to the finishing line.

RULE XVI.

THE COURSE.

Each competitor must keep in his respective position from start to finish in all races on straightaway tracks, and in all races on tracks with one or more turns he must not cross to the inner edge of the track, except when he is at least six feet in advance of his nearest competitor. After turning the last corner into the straight in any race, each competitor must run a straight course to the finish line, and must not cross to either the outside or inside from such straight course.

In all championship races of the W. I. A. A. A. up to and including 220 yards, each competitor must have a separate course marked out and measured, whether races are run straightaway or with turns.

The Referee must disqualify from that event any competitor who wilfully pushes against, impedes, crosses the course of, or in any way interferes with another competitor.

The Referee must disqualify from further participation in the games any contestant competing to lose, to coach, or to in any way impede the chances of another competitor either in a trial or final contest.

RULE XVII.

THE FINISH

of the course must be represented by a line between two finishing posts, drawn across and at right angles to the sides of the track, and three feet above which line must be placed a tape attached at either end to the finishing posts. A finish must be counted when any part of the winner's body, except his hands or arms, touches the tape at the finish line. The tape must be considered the finishing line for the winner, but their order of finishing across the track line must determine the positions of the other competitors.

RULE XVIII.

HURDLES.

In the 120 yards hurdle race ten hurdles must be used, each hurdle to be three feet six inches high. They must be placed ten yards apart, with the first hurdle fifteen yards distant from the starting point, and the last hurdle fifteen yards before the finishing line.

In the 220 yards hurdle race ten hurdles must be used, each hurdle to be two feet six inches high. They must be placed twenty yards apart, with the first hurdle twenty yards distant from the starting mark, and the last hurdle twenty yards before the finishing line.

In making a record it must be necessary for the competitor to jump every hurdle in its proper position.

In all championship hurdle races of the W. I. A. A. A., up to and including 220 yards, each competitor must have a separate course and hurdles marked out and measured, whether races are run straightaway or with turns.

RULE XIX.

JUMPING.

SECTION I. A fair jump must be one that is made without the

assistance of weights, diving, somersaults, or handsprings of any kind.

In scratch events competitors must jump in order as placed on the programme.

SEC. 2. The Running High Jump. The Field Judges must decide the height at which the jump shall commence, and must regulate the succeeding elevations.

Each competitor must be allowed three trial jumps at each height, and if on the third trial he shall fail he must be declared out of the competition.

Competitors must jump in order, as provided in Section 1, then those failing, if any, must have their second trial jump in a like order, after which those having failed twice must make their third trial jump.

The jump must be made over a bar resting on pins projecting not more than three inches from the uprights, and when this bar is removed from its place by the competitor then trying it must be counted as a trial jump.

Running under the bar in making an attempt to jump must be counted as a "balk," and three successive "balks" must be counted as a trial jump.

The distance of the run before the jump must be unlimited. A competitor may decline to jump at any height in his turn, and by so doing forfeits his right to again jump at the height declined.

SEC. 4. The Running Broad Jump. When jumped on earth a joist five inches wide must be sunk flush with it. The outer edge of this joist must be called the scratch line, and the measurement of all jumps must be made from it at right angles to the nearest break in the ground made by any part of the person of the competitor.

In front of the scratch line the ground must be removed to the depth of three and the width of twelve inches outward.

A foul jump must be one where the competitor, in jumping off the scratch line, makes a mark on the ground immediately in front of it, or runs over the line without jumping, and must count as a trial jump without result.

Each competitor must have three trial jumps, and the best three must each have three more trial jumps.

The competition must be decided by the best of all the trial jumps of the competitors.

The distance of the run before the scratch line must be unlimited.

SEC. 5. The Pole Vault. Poles must be furnished by the club giving the games, but contestants may use their private poles if they so desire, and no contestant shall be allowed to use any of these private poles except by the consent of their owners. The poles must be unlimited as to size and weight, but must have no assisting devices, except that they may be wrapped or covered with any substance (to obtain a firmer grasp), and must have but one prong at the end.

No competitor shall, during his vault, raise the hand which was uppermost when he left the ground to a higher point of the pole, nor shall he raise the hand which was undermost when he left the ground to any point on the pole above the other hand.

The rules governing the Running High Jump must also govern the Pole Vault for height, *except that when the man leaves the ground in an attempt, it shall be counted a trial.*

RULE XX.

PUTTING THE SHOT.

The shot must be a solid sphere made of metal, and must weigh 16 lbs.

It must be put with one hand, and in making the attempt it must be above and not behind the shoulder.

The competitor must stand in a circle seven feet in diameter. The circumference of this circle must be divided into two halves by a line drawn through it. On four feet of the front half of the circumference a board four inches high must be placed, the ends of which must be equally distant from the intersection of this line with the circumference, and at which the competitor may stand when the shot leaves his hand.

A fair put shall be one where no part of the person of the competitor touches in front of the circle, or on the board, in making the attempt.

A put must be counted as foul if the competitor steps over the

front half of the circle or on the board. A competitor must leave the circle by the rear half. Leaving by the front half must be declared a foul put.

The measurement of all puts must be made from the nearest mark made by the shot to a point on the circumference of the circle, on a line with the object mark and the centre of the circle.

Foul puts and letting go the shot in making an attempt must be counted as trial puts without result.

A board similar to the one in front may be used at the back of the circle.

The order of competing and number of trials shall be the same as for the Running Broad Jump. Shots must be furnished by the Graduate Executive Committee. Any contestant may use his private shot, if correct in weight and shape; in which case the other contestants must also be allowed to use it if they wish.

RULE XXI.

THROWING THE HAMMER.

The head and handle may be of any size, shape and material, provided that the length of the complete implement must not be more than four feet and its weight not less than 16 lbs.

All throws shall be made from a circle seven feet in diameter, and this circle shall be *considered as* divided into two halves by a line drawn through its centre *at right angles to the direction of the throw*.

A fair throw must be one where no part of the person of the competitor shall touch outside or on the circle in making the attempt.

Foul throws and letting go of the hammer in an attempt must count as trial throws.

The measurement of all throws must be made from the nearest mark made by the head of the hammer to a point on the circumference of the circle, on a line with the object mark and the centre of the circle.

The order of competing and number of trials must be the same as for the Running Broad Jump. Hammers must be furnished by the Graduate Executive Committee. Any contestant may use

his private hammer, if correct in weight and length, and no contestant shall be allowed to use these private hammers except by consent of the owner.

RULE XXII.

THROWING THE DISCUS.

The discus shall be made of *smooth*, hard wood body, *without finger-holes*, weighted in centre with lead discs and capped with polished brass discs, with steel ring on the outside. The weight of the discus shall be four and one-half ($4\frac{1}{2}$) pounds; outside diameter, eight (8) inches; thickness in centre, two (2) inches.

All throws shall be made from a *seven* (7) foot circle, with *four-foot step-board*, and similar in all respects to the circle for putting the shot. In making his throws a competitor may assume any position he chooses. Foul throws and letting go the *discus* in attempts shall count as trials without result. A fair throw shall be one in which no part of the person of the competitor touches the ground outside the *front half of the circle*, and the competitor leaves the *circle* by its rear half. A throw shall be foul if any part of the person touches the ground outside the front half of the *circle* before the throw is measured.

A discus shall be furnished by the Graduate Executive Committee. Any contestant may use his private discus, if correct in weight and shape, in which case the other contestants must also be allowed to use it if they wish.

The measurement of each throw shall be made from the nearest mark made by the fall of the discus to the circumference of the circle on a line from the mark made by the discus to the centre of the circle.

RULE XXIII.

BICYCLING.

The drawing for position in each event shall be done by the Graduate Executive Committee, and the positions of the men shall appear on the programme. When two or more riders make a dead heat of any final or a dead heat for second or third place, they may decide by lot who shall take the place, or may again ride the distance, at the discretion of the Referee.

All starts shall be from the inside of the track and from a stand-still, with the left hand toward the curb, and the machines shall be held in position by an attendant (the front wheel touching the starting line) until the signal is given by the Starter. Attendants, when pushing off competitors, must keep behind the mark from which the competitors actually start. Should any part of the attendant touch the track in front of the mark, the competitor may be disqualified.

The finish of all races shall be judged by the first part of the front wheel which touches the tape fastened flat on the ground at the winning post.

Riders shall pass on the outside (unless the man passed be dismounted), and must be at least a clear length of the cycle in front before taking the inside; but on entering the homestretch in the last lap of a race, the foremost rider or riders must keep to that part of the track first selected, or be liable to disqualification; and the hindmost rider or riders, when there is sufficient room to pass on the inside or anywhere on the homestretch without interfering with others, shall be allowed to do so, and any rider interfering to prevent him or them from so passing, shall be disqualified. If a rider, in attempting to pass another on the homestretch, should at any time cross or swerve so as to impede the progress of another rider, he shall be disqualified. A rider shall not change from the inner to the outside of the track during any part of a race when another rider is so near that in altering his position he interferes with or impedes the progress of the rider. No rider shall touch another. In any race wherein there shall be a violation of these restrictions, the offending rider shall be disqualified and debarred from any place or prize.

OFFICIAL RECORDS OF THE W. I. A. A. A.

1895 to 1899

100 YARDS RUN.

John V. Crum, Iowa.....	10s.
Charles L. Burroughs, Chicago.....	10s.

220 YARDS RUN.

John V. Crum, Iowa.....	22s.
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440 YARDS RUN.

W. E. Hodgeman, Michigan.....	50 3-5s.
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880 YARDS RUN.

L. R. Palmer, Grinnell.....	1m. 59 4-5s.
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ONE MILE RUN.

H. B. Cragin, Jr., Lake Forest.....	4m. 33s.
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ONE MILE WALK.

J. J. Hoaglund, Illinois.....	7m. 5s.
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120 YARDS HURDLES.

J. R. Richards, Wisconsin.....	15 4-5s.
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220 YARDS HURDLES.

Alvan Kraenzlein, Wisconsin.....	25 3-5s.
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ONE MILE BICYCLE.

P. H. Burton, Minnesota.....	2m. 25s.
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ONE LAP BICYCLE (QUARTER MILE).

G. Gaffney, Notre Dame.....	31 2-5s.
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DISCUS THROW.

C. G. Stangel, Wisconsin.....	117 ft. 4 in.
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RUNNING HIGH JUMP.

J. J. Louis, Iowa.....	5 ft. 11 in.
J. F. Powers, Notre Dame.....	5 ft. 11 in.

PUTTING 16-POUND SHOT.

J. F. Powers, Notre Dame.....40 ft. 5 1-2 in.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP.

James A. Leroy, Michigan.....22 ft. 7 1-2 in.

16-POUND HAMMER THROW.

R. W. Edgren, California.....123 ft. 9 1-2 in.

POLE VAULT.

A. H. Culver, Northwestern.....11 ft.

ANNUAL MEET, JUNE 6, 1896.

Won by Iowa College (Grinnell)—26 Points.

- 100 yards—1. J. H. Maybury, Wisconsin, time, 10s.; 2. J. H. Rush, Grinnell; 3. A. B. Potter, Northwestern.
- 220 yards—1. J. H. Maybury, Wisconsin, time, 22 2-5s.; 2. J. H. Rush, Grinnell; 3. A. B. Potter, Northwestern.
- 440 yards—1. J. H. Rush, Grinnell, time, 50 4-5s.; 2. G. F. Downer, Wisconsin; 3. D. H. Jackson, Lake Forest.
- 880 yards—1. H. B. Cragin, Jr., Lake Forest, time, 2m. 5 2-5s.; 2. J. L. Fellows, Grinnell; 3. F. H. Calhoun, Chicago.
- 1 mile—1. H. B. Cragin, Jr., Lake Forest, time, 4m. 33s.; 2. L. R. Palmer, Grinnell; 3. J. L. Fellows, Grinnell.
- 1 mile Walk—1. F. Bunnell, Minnesota, time, 7m. 31 1-5s.; 2. E. T. Gundlach, Chicago; 3. F. B. Peterson, Chicago.
- 1 mile Bicycle—1. P. H. Burton, Minnesota, time, 2m. 37 2-5s.; 2. E. W. Peabody, Chicago; 3. F. E. Spaulding, Grinnell.
- 120 yard Hurdles—1. J. R. Richards, Wisconsin, time, 16 2-5s.; 2. J. J. Jackson, Lake Forest; 3. R. F. Schuchardt, Wisconsin.
- 220 yard Hurdles—1. J. R. Richards, Wisconsin, time, 27 3-5s.; 2. C. W. Clark, Grinnell; 3. R. F. Schuchardt, Wisconsin.
- Pole Vault—1. R. E. Wilson, Northwestern, 10 ft. 6 in.; 2. C. B. Herschberger, Chicago, 10 ft. 3 in.; 3. H. Coffeen, Illinois, 9 ft. 9 in.
- High Jump—1. J. H. Liegler, Wisconsin, 5 ft. 7 in.; 2. M. Mason, Wisconsin, 5 ft. 6 in.; 3. W. Frame, Wisconsin, 5 ft. 5 in.
- Broad Jump—1. Carr B. Neel, Chicago, 20 ft. 9 in.; 2. E. R. Perry, Northwestern, 20 ft. 8½ in.; 3. H. Frame, Wisconsin, 20 ft. 1¼ in.
- Throwing Hammer—1. H. F. Cochems, Wisconsin, 113 ft. 3 in.; 2. F. W. Van Oven, Illinois, 111 ft.; 3. T. W. Lee, Lake Forest, 103 ft. 5½ in.
- Putting Shot—1. H. F. Cochems, Wisconsin, 38 ft. 9½ in.; 2. G. A. E. Finlayson, Minnesota, 37 ft. 7 in.; 3. E. V. Williamson, Chicago, 35 ft. 7 in.

ANNUAL MEET, JUNE 5, 1897.

Won by the University of Wisconsin—29 Points.

- 100 yards—1. J. H. Maybury, Wisconsin, time, 9 4-5s.; 2. C. L. Burroughs, Chicago; 3. A. B. Potter, Northwestern.
- 220 yards—1. J. H. Maybury, Wisconsin, time, 21 2-5s.; 2. C. L. Burroughs, Chicago; 3. C. T. Stevenson, Minnesota.
- 440 yards—1. W. F. Jackson, Lake Forest, time, 51 1-5s.; 2. E. T. Fox, Wisconsin; 3. R. W. Mills, Illinois.
- 880 yards—1. W. D. Brennan, Minnesota, time, 2m. 6 2-5s.; 2. G. L. White, Chicago; 3. J. L. Fellows, Grinnell.
- 1 mile Run—1. E. Copeland, Wisconsin, time, 4m. 38 2-5s.; 2. J. B. Wood, Michigan; 3. J. L. Fellows, Grinnell.
- 1 mile Walk—1. F. S. Bunnell, Minnesota, time, 7m. 26s.; 2. J. K. Hoaglund, Illinois; 3. C. S. Tryon, Michigan.
- 1 mile Bicycle—1. B. E. Bush, Michigan, time, 2m. 36 1-5s.; 2. H. Taylor, Wisconsin; 3. L. Turner, Michigan.

- 120 yard Hurdles—1. J. R. Richards, Wisconsin, time, 15 4-5s.; 2. J. F. McLean, Michigan; 3. W. R. Armstrong, Grinnell.
- 220 yard Hurdles—1. A. Kraenzlein, Wisconsin, time, 25 3-5s.; 2. C. Chubb, Michigan; 3. J. R. Richards, Wisconsin.
- Pole Vault—1. C. S. Dole, Leland Stanford, Jr., 10 ft. 6½ in.; 2. C. B. Herschberger, Chicago, 10 ft. 3½ in.; 3. H. C. Coffeen, Illinois, 10 ft.
- High Jump—1. A. Kraenzlein, Wisconsin, 5 ft. 9 in.; 2. P. H. Vernor, Michigan, 5 ft. 8 in.; 3. E. Waller, Wisconsin, 5 ft. 7 in.
- Broad Jump—1. C. S. Dole, Leland Stanford, Jr., 21 ft. 3½ in.; 2. E. C. Gaines, Minnesota, 20 ft. 11 in.; 3. C. Brewer, Wisconsin, 20 ft. 10 in.
- Throwing Hammer—1. F. W. Von Oven, Illinois, 122 ft. ½ in.; 2. H. F. Cochems, Wisconsin, 113 ft. 1¾ in.; 3. C. D. Enochs, Illinois, 111 ft. 8 in.
- Putting Shot—1. H. F. Cochems, Wisconsin, 40 ft. 11½ in.; 2. B. F. Roller, De Pauw, 38 ft. 3½ in.; 3. C. S. Dole, Leland Stanford, Jr., 36 ft. 11½ in.

ANNUAL MEET, JUNE 4, 1898.

Won by the University of Wisconsin—58 Points.

- 100 yards—1. ¹A. R. Jones, Northwestern, time, 10 1-5s.; 2. P. Fox, Wisconsin; 3.
- 220 yards—1. A. R. Jones, Northwestern, time, 23 2-5s.; 2. P. Fox, Wisconsin; 3. F. McGowan, Wisconsin.
- 440 yards—1. V. K. Cassady, Purdue, time, 52 1-5s.; 2. E. T. Fox, Wisconsin; 3. R. W. Sturgeon, Northwestern.
- 880 yards—1. R. W. Sturgeon, Northwestern, time, 2m. 4 3-5s.; 2. O. C. Nelson, Minnesota; 3. H. A. Henry, Wisconsin.
- 1 mile Run—1. H. C. Schneider, Wisconsin, time, 5m. 19 4-5s.; 2. W. J. Rice, Lake Forest; 3. G. W. Bemis, Northwestern.
- 1 mile Walk—1. R. M. Pease, Northwestern, time, 7m. 53 1-5s.; 2. R. Hartman, Wisconsin; 3. (No finisher).
- ¼ mile Bicycle—1. J. C. Taylor, Wisconsin, time, 34 3-5s.; 2. H. H. Taylor, Wisconsin; 3. Roy E. Feree, Drake.
- 1 mile Bicycle—1. J. C. Taylor, Wisconsin, time, 2m. 30 2-5s.; 2. Roy E. Feree, Drake; 3. L. A. Page, Minnesota.
- 120 yard Hurdles—1. J. J. Jackson, Lake Forest, time, 17 3-5s.; 2. A. A. Green, Knox; 3. J. A. Brown, Northwestern.
- 220 yard Hurdles—1. P. J. O'Dea, Wisconsin, time, 27 3-5s.; 2. Joe Sellards, Drake; 3. J. A. Brown, Northwestern.
- Pole Vault—1. R. E. Wilson, Northwestern, 10 ft.; 2. A. R. Jones, Northwestern, 9 ft.; 3. C. W. Rowe, Wisconsin, 8 ft. 10 in.
- High Jump—1. H. Frame, Wisconsin, 5 ft. 8 in.; 2. Max Mason, Wisconsin, 5 ft. 7 in.; 3. Homer Holland, Drake, 5 ft. 8 in.
- Broad Jump—1. E. C. Gaines, Minnesota, 22 ft. 1¾ in.; 2. C. Hobart, Knox, 21 ft. 5¼ in.; 3. E. R. Perry, Northwestern, 21 ft. 3¼ in.
- Discus Throw—1. C. G. Stangel, Wisconsin, 117 ft. 4 in.; 2. L. E. Grake, Wisconsin, 95 ft. 3 in.; 3. H. G. Forest, Wisconsin, 94 ft.
- Throwing Hammer—1. F. M. Levings, Northwestern, 110 ft.; 2. C. G. Stangel, Wisconsin, 101 ft. 3½ in.; 3. A. Harbaugh, Knox, 94 ft. 9½ in.

Putting Shot—1. F. A. Brewer, Northwestern, 38 ft.; 2. E. R. Perry, Northwestern, 35 ft. 2 in.; 3. A. Harbaugh, Knox, 32 ft. 5 in.

¹J. H. Maybury, Wisconsin, won first place, but was disqualified for professionalism.

Chicago, Illinois and Michigan held a separate meet.

ANNUAL MEET, JUNE 3, 1899.

Won by the University of Chicago—46 Points.

100 yards—1. C. L. Burroughs, Chicago, time, 10s.; 2. P. J. Corcoran, Notre Dame; 3. A. R. Jones, Northwestern.

220 yards—1. C. L. Burroughs, Chicago, time, 22 4-5s.; 2. P. J. Corcoran, Notre Dame; 3. F. McGowan, Wisconsin.

440 yards—1. H. B. Slack, Chicago, time, 53s.; 2. C. O. Teetzel, Michigan; 3. C. Thompson, Michigan.

880 yards—1. W. A. Moloney, Chicago, time, 2m. 6 4-5s.; 2. R. T. Mills, Illinois; 3. R. S. Sturgeon, Northwestern.

1 mile Run—1. B. B. Smith, Chicago, time, 4m. 39 4-5s.; 2. J. B. Woods, Michigan; 3. S. B. Conger, Michigan.

1 mile Walk—1. J. J. Hoaglund, Illinois, time, 7m. 5s.; 2. J. Bredsteen, Wisconsin; 3. M. Parker, Chicago.

$\frac{1}{4}$ mile Bicycle—1. G. Gaffney, Notre Dame, time, 31 2-5s.; 2. C. V. Brown, Chicago; 3. J. F. Goodenow, Chicago.

1 mile Bicycle—1. C. V. Brown, Chicago, time, 2m. 39 2-5s.; 2. W. S. Baldwin, Michigan; 3. P. Ross, Chicago.

120 yard Hurdles—¹P. J. O'Dea, Wisconsin; C. E. Fisher, Grinnell, and J. F. McLean, Michigan; time, 16 1-5s.

220 yard Hurdles—1. J. F. McLean, Michigan, time, 27 2-5s.; 2. P. J. O'Dea, Wisconsin; 3. D. A. Trude, Chicago.

Pole Vault—1. ²C. B. Herschberger, Chicago, and J. F. Powers, Notre Dame, 10 ft. 8 in.; 3. L. M. Booth, Northwestern, 10 ft. 4 in.

High Jump—1. ³J. J. Louis, Iowa, and J. F. Powers, Notre Dame, 5 ft. 11 in.; 3. T. W. Flournoy, Michigan, 5 ft. 9 in.

Broad Jump—1. H. Holland, Drake, 22 23-100 ft.; 2. J. F. Powers, Notre Dame, 22 18-100 ft.; 3. R. P. Garrett, Illinois, 21 80-100 ft.

Discus Throw—1. J. F. Powers, Notre Dame, 115 ft. 11½ in.; 2. H. E. Lehr, Michigan, 110 ft. 7 in.; 3. L. Granke, Wisconsin, 106 ft. 4 in.

Throwing Hammer—1. P. W. Mortimer, Chicago, 121 ft. 2 in.; 2. C. G. Stangel, Wisconsin, 115 ft. 6 in.; 3. W. A. Avery, Michigan, 111 ft.

Putting Shot—1. J. F. Powers, Notre Dame, 40 ft. 5½ in.; 2. H. E. Lehr, Michigan, 39 ft. 11 in.; 3. J. W. Eggeman, Notre Dame, 38 ft. 5 in.

¹All tied for first place. The toss-up for medals resulted in the order named.

²Herschberger and Powers tied for first place. The toss-up for medals resulted in the order named.

³Louis and Powers tied for first place. The toss-up for medals resulted in the order named.

ARTICLES OF ALLIANCE WITH A. A. U.

I. At all meetings of the Amateur Athletic Union the Western Intercollegiate Amateur Athletic Association shall be entitled to representation by not more than four delegates, or duly elected alternates of such delegates, having, collectively, one vote.

II. From among these delegates one shall be chosen to become a member of the Board of Governors of the Amateur Athletic Union, who shall have voice, vote and privilege equal to the other members of said Board upon all matters coming before it.

III. All games open only to members of the Western Intercollegiate Amateur Athletic Association shall be held under Western Intercollegiate Amateur Athletic Association rules; but games open to all amateurs shall be held under rules of the Amateur Athletic Union.

IV. Each party to this Alliance shall respect and enforce all penalties of suspension and disqualification inflicted by the other party.

V. These Articles of Alliance may be terminated by either party upon thirty days' notice to the other.

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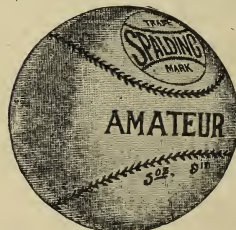
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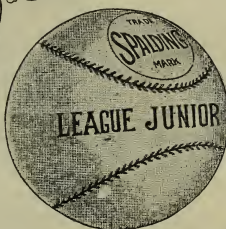
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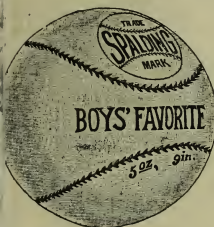
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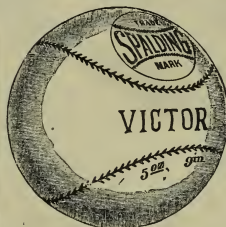
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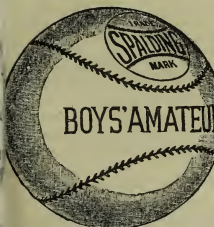
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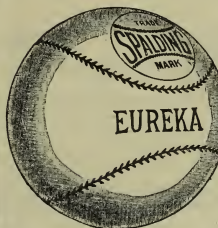
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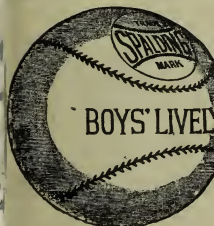
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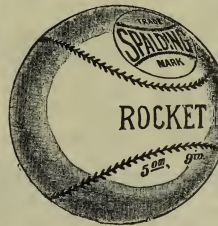
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No. 13. Each, 5c.

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THE SPALDING "HIGHEST QUALITY" BATS

The Spalding
HIGHEST QUALITY

LEAGUE BAT

Lengths 32, 33, 34, 35, 36 inches

Quality Guaranteed

In our
Highest Quality
Bat we use nothing but the
very best selected second growth
white ash timber, grown on high land, and under
no circumstances do we use any swamp or lowland
ash. Our various methods embody all the desirable features con-
tained in the dozens of models submitted by the leading batsmen of the
country. Lengths of 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 inches.

No. A1. Each, 75c.

SPALDING'S TRADE-MARKED BATS

Our Trade Mark Bats are made from the latest and most approved models, and the timber used in their construction is seasoned from two to three years before using, thus ensuring not only a lighter and stronger bat, but also retaining the life quality and driving power of the natural wood.

 Spalding's Black End Wagon Tongue Ash Bat, League quality.

Handle roughened by our patented process for better grip.

No. 3-0. Each, 50c.

 Spalding's Black End "Axletree" Bat, finest straight-grained ash, improved models.

No. 0X. Each, 35c.

Spalding's Black End "Antique" Finish Bat, extra quality ash.

No. 2X. Each, 25c.

 Spalding's Black End Willow Bat, highly finished and polished,

and strongest light wood bat made

No. 4. Each, 25c.

BOYS' BATS


 Spalding's Junior League Bat, extra quality ash

lengths, 30 and 32 inches.

No. 3X. Each, 25c.

 Spalding's Black End "Antique" Bat, select ash, polished and varnished; length, 31 inch

No. 2XB. Each, 10c.

 Spalding's Boys' Favorite Ash Bat; length,

inches.

No. 10. Each, 5c.

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SPALDING'S CATCHERS' MITTS

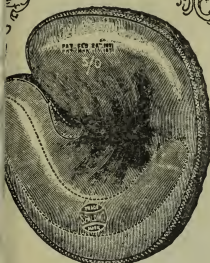
The Spalding
HIGHEST QUALITY

CATCHERS' MIT



The leather is of the finest quality calfskin, the padding and workmanship of the very best, and the additional feature of Lace Back makes it—as we intend it shall be—the “PERFECTION” of Catchers’ Mitts.

No. 7-0. Each, \$6.00



No. 5-0.

Spalding's League Mitt

Patent Lace Back

Made throughout of a specially tanned and selected buckskin, making a strong and durable mitt, at the same time being very soft and pliable and heavily padded.

No. 5-0. Each, \$4.00

Spalding's Mitt

The face, sides and finger-piece are made of velvet tanned deerskin, and the back of selected asbestos buck, making an exceedingly easy fitting and durable mitt; well padded.

No. 0. Each, \$2.25

Spalding's Amateur Mitt

Patent Lace Back

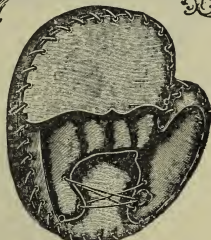
Made of extra quality asbestos buck, perspiration proof and extremely tough and durable; reinforced and laced at thumb, substantially made and well padded.

No. A. Each, \$1.50

Spalding's Practice Mitt

Made of a specially soft tanned leather, easy fitting and admirably adapted for practice work; reinforced and lace thumb.

No. B. Each, \$1.00



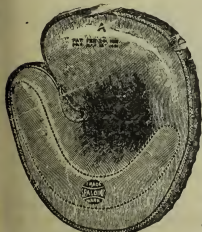
No. 0X.

Showing Leather Reinforce on Back.

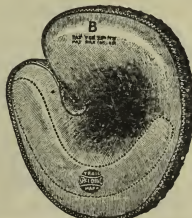
Spalding's “Decker Patent” Mitt

Made exactly the same as our No. 0 Mitt, with the addition of a heavy piece of sole leather on back for extra protection to the hand and fingers.

No. 0X. Each, \$3.00



No. A.



No. B.

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SPALDING'S BOYS' CATCHERS' MITTS

SPALDING'S BOYS' LEAGUE MITT



The face, edge-strip and finger piece made of velvet tanned deerskin, the back of special tanned leather, very soft and perspiration proof. The heavy piece of sole leather on back affords ample protection to hand and fingers. It has the Patent Laced Back and is extra well padded.

No. OXB. Each, \$2.00

SPALDING'S BOYS' MITT



Made of extra quality asbestos buck, extremely tough and durable. It has our Patent Laced Back, well padded and finished and reinforced at thumb. A little larger in size than our regular Boys' Mitts.

No. AB. Each, \$1.00

SPALDING'S BOYS' MITT



Made of extra quality soft tanned leather, extra well padded and substantially made. Patent Lace Back and reinforced thumb.

No. BB. Each, 50c.

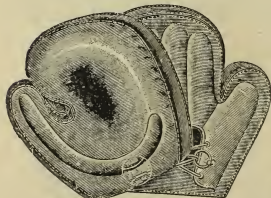
SPALDING'S JUNIOR MITT



Made of good quality soft tanned leather. Well padded, Patent Lace Back and reinforced thumb.

No. CB. Each, 25c.

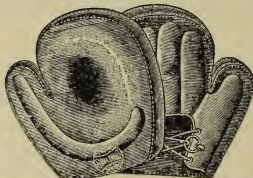
SPALDING'S MEN'S MITT



Made of soft tanned leather, extra heavily padded and reinforced at the thumb joint.

No. 4. Each, 50c.

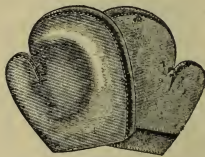
SPALDING'S BOYS' MITT



Made of soft, pliable leather, well padded and substantially made. The largest Boys' Mitt ever offered at the price.

No. 5. Each, 25c.

SPALDING'S BOYS' MITT



Leather face, canvas back. A good sized mitt and well padded.

No. 7. Each, 10c.

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SPALDING'S BASEMEN'S AND FIELDERS' MITTS

The Spalding
HIGHEST QUALITY

FIRST BASEMEN'S MITTS

Made of fine selected and specially tanned calfskin, extremely well made throughout and padded to meet the special requirements of a Baseman's Mitt. It adapts itself nicely to the conformation of the hand without undue straining, and the addition of our patent Lace Back and "Highest Quality" Trade Mark is a sufficient guarantee of its quality and merits.

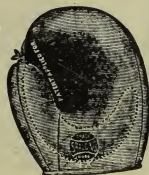
No. BX. Each, \$3.50

SPALDING'S FIELDERS' MITTS



Made of the very best and softest light tanned buckskin; the thumb and at wrist is extra well padded, patent laced thumb; the best workmanship throughout, as indicated by our "Highest Quality" Trade Mark.

No. 3X. Each, \$3.00



This mitt is made throughout of velvet tanned deer skin, and edges nicely bound. It is well padded with fine felt and carefully sewed and finished. Patent laced thumb.

No. 4X. Each, \$2.00



Made of good quality leather, extra well padded, and constructed throughout in a most substantial manner. An exceedingly good mitt at a popular price. Patent laced thumb.

No. 5X. Each, \$1.00



BOYS' SIZE

This mitt is made throughout of a good quality leather. A good substantial mitt for boys. Well padded and laced thumb.

No. 6X. Each, 50c.

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SPALDING'S INFIELDER'S GLOVES



The Spalding
REGISTERED QUALITY

INFIELDER'S GLOVE

Made throughout of selected velvet tanned buckskin, lined and correctly padded with finest felt. Highest quality workmanship throughout.

No. 2X. Each, \$2.50



Boys' Infelder's Glove

Made in same style and of same material as our No. 2X glove, except smaller in size

No. 2XB. Each, \$2.00

The Spalding
REGISTERED QUALITY



Spalding's Amateur Infelder's Glove

Made of good quality leather, well padded and substantially made.

No. X. Each, \$1.50



Spalding's Infelder's Glove

Brown tan leather, good quality, well made and heavily padded.

No. 15. Each, \$1.00



Spalding's Boys' Infelder's Glove

Same quality as our No. X, but in boys' sizes.

No. XB. Each, \$1.00

Spalding's Infelder's Glove

Made of good quality soft tanned leather, nicely padded.

No. 16.
Each, 50c.



Spalding's Boys' Infelder's Glove

Good quality soft tanned leather, nicely padded.

No. 14.
Each, 50c.



Spalding's Boys' Infelder's Glove

All leather, good quality, well made and padded.

No. 17.
Each, 25c.



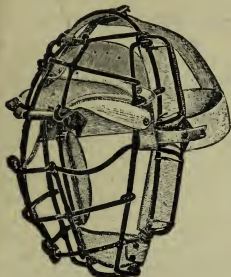
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SPALDING'S BASE BALL MASKS



No. 0

The Spalding

SUN PROTECTING MASK

Finest steel wire, extra heavy black enamelled; our patent sunshade protects the eyes without obstructing the view.

No. 4-0. Each, \$5.00



No. 3-0

SPALDING'S NECK PROTECTING MASK.

Finest steel wire, extra heavy and black enamelled to prevent reflection of light; our patent neck extension affords absolute protection to the neck.

No. 3-0. Each, \$4.00



No. 2-0

SPALDING'S SPECIAL LEAGUE MASK.

BLACK ENAMELLED

Made of extra heavy and best annealed steel wire. Fittings of best quality throughout.

No. 2-0. Each, \$3.00



No. 0X

SPALDING'S REGULATION LEAGUE MASK.

Made of heavy, soft annealed steel wire. Well finished and reliable in every particular.

BLACK ENAMELLED,

No. 0X. Each, \$2.25

BRIGHT WIRE.

No. 0. Each \$1.75

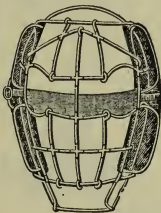


SPALDING'S AMATEUR MASK.

BRIGHT WIRE.

Same size and general style of the League mask. Substantially made and warranted perfectly safe.

No. A. Each, \$1.75



No. L

SPALDING'S REGULATION MASK.

BRIGHT WIRE.

Made in same style as our Amateur mask, but without head or chin piece. Warranted.

No. L. Each, \$1.00



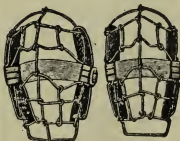
No. B

SPALDING'S BOYS' AMATEUR MASK.

BRIGHT WIRE.

Exactly same quality as our No. A mask, only smaller in size. An absolutely safe mask for boys

No. B. Each, \$1.25



No. C

No. D

SPALDING'S YOUTHS' MASKS.

BRIGHT WIRE.

Well padded. No head or chin piece.

No. C. Each, 50c.

No. D. " 25c.

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SPALDING'S BASE BALL GOODS

SPALDING'S SPECIAL LEAGUE SHOE PLATES.

PATENTED.

Our Special League Plates are made of the finest tempered steel, and the strength increased almost fourfold without increasing weight, by our patent reinforced brace, which is formed, as shown in cut, by splitting the metal at each corner and depressing the centre, thus forming a brace at each side.



TOE.

No. 0. Toe Plates, Pair, 50c.

No. 2-0. Heel Plates, " 50c.



HEEL

SPECIAL HAND FORGED PLATES.



TOE.

No. 1. Toe Plates, Pair, 25c.

No. 1H. Heel Plates, " 25c.



HEEL

PROFESSIONAL SHOE PLATES.

Best Quality Steel.

AMATEUR SHOE PLATES.

Fine Steel.

No. 2. Per pair, 10c.



SPALDING'S PITCHER'S TOE PLATE.



Worn on the toe and affords a thorough protection to the shoe, and at the same time a most valuable assistant in pitching. Made for Right or Left shoe. Used by all professionals.

No. A. Aluminum, Each, 50c.

No. B. Brass, " 25c.

SPALDING'S INFLATED BODY PROTECTOR.



We are now the sole manufacturers of the Gray Patent Protectors, the only practical device for the protection of catchers and umpires. They are made of the best rubber, inflated with air, light and pliable, and do not interfere with the movements of the wearer under any conditions. When not in use the air may be let out and the protector rolled in a very small space.

No. 0. League Catchers' Protector, \$7.50

No. 1. Amateur Catchers' Protector, 6.00

No. 2. Boys' Catchers' Protector, 4.00

SPALDING'S PITCHER'S BOX PLATES.

Made in accordance with National League regulations and of extra quality white rubber. Complete with pins.

No. 3. Each, \$5.00



Spalding's Home Plates.

Our Rubber Home Plate is made in accordance with National League regulations and of extra quality white rubber. Complete with pins.

No. 1. Each, \$6.00



The Official Authority of
Base Ball,
SPALDING'S OFFICIAL

BASE BALL GUIDE.

Edited by HENRY CHADWICK. New rules for 1900, averages and portraits of leading teams and valuable information for the player.

Price, 10c.

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By ARTHUR IRWIN, the well known player. Tells how to play every position intelligently

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TECHNICAL TERMS OF BASE BALL
Compiled by HENRY CHADWICK. A definition of the terms used in the game.

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SPALDING'S BAT BAGS.



Spalding's Canvas Bat Bag, made of heavy waterproof canvas, leather reinforced at ends. Will hold 12 bats.

No. 2. Each, \$3.00

INDIVIDUAL BAT BAGS.



Spalding's Sole Leather Bat Bag, for two bats; used by all League players.

No. 01. Each, \$3.00

Heavy waterproof canvas, leather cap at both ends.

No. 02. Each, \$1.25

Heavy canvas, leather cap at one end.

No. 03. Each, 80c.

SPALDING'S BASES.

Complete with straps and spikes. Three bases to a set.



League Club Bases, extra quality canvas, and quilted.

No. 0. Per set, \$6.00

Canvas Bases, well made, not quilted.

No. 1. Per set, \$5.00

Canvas Bases, ordinary quality.

No. 2. Per set, \$3.00

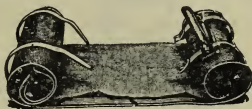
SPALDING'S UMPIRE INDICATOR.



Made of celluloid; exact size, $3 \times 1\frac{1}{2}$ inches. and used by all League umpires. Endorsed

No. 0. Each, 50c.

SPALDING'S UNIFORM BAGS.



The convenient packing of uniforms in a manner that will not wrinkle and soil same, and to be easily carried, is an important item to every player. We have designed a roll or bag which answers all requirements. It is substantially made, very durable, and has separate compartments for shoes, etc.

No. 1. Best Canvas, Each, \$2.50

No. 2. Fine Bag Leather, " 5.00

SCORE BOOKS.



Pocket Score Books.

No. 1.	Paper cover, 7 games,	\$.10
No. 2.	Board cover, 22 games,	.25
No. 3.	Board cover, 46 games,	.50

Club Score Books.

No. 4.	Board cover, 30 games,	\$.75
No. 5.	Cloth cover, 60 games,	1.25
No. 6.	Cloth cover, 90 games,	1.50
No. 7.	Cloth cover, 120 games,	2.00
Score cards	Each, 5c.	.25

SPALDING'S SCORING TABLET.



A simple, convenient and accurate device for the record of runs and outs. It is made of celluloid and can be easily carried in any vest pocket.

No. 1. Each, 35c.

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ELASTIC BANDAGES AND SUSPENSORIES

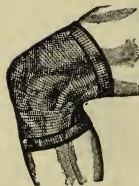


Shoulder Cap Bandage

In ordering, give circumference around arm and chest.

No. 1. Cotton thread, \$4.00

No. 1A. Silk thread, 5.50



Knee Cap Bandage

In ordering, give circumference below knee, at knee and just above knee, and state if light or strong pressure is desired.

No. 4. Cotton thread, \$1.50

No. 4A. Silk thread, 2.00

Wrist Bandage

Give circumference around smallest part of wrist, and state whether for light or strong pressure.



No. 6. Cotton thread, \$.75

No. 6A. Silk thread, 1.00

Leather Wrist Supporter



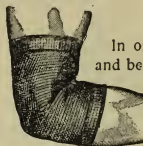
A perfect support and protection to the wrist. Invaluable to base ball, tennis and cricket players, or in any game where the strain is on the wrist. In domestic grain leather; tan, orange or black.

No. 100. Each, 25c.

Lower Abdomen Protector

Heavy wire, padded and lined with lambs' wool.

No. 4. Each, \$1.50



Elbow Bandage

In ordering, give circumference above and below elbow, and state whether for light or strong pressure.

No. 2. Cotton thread, \$1.50

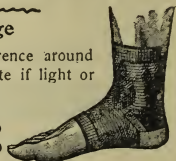
No. 2A. Silk thread, 2.00

Ankle Bandage

In ordering, give circumference around ankle and over instep, and state if light or strong pressure is desired.

No. 5. Cotton thread, \$1.50

No. 5A. Silk thread, 2.00



The Spalding Suspensory

Non-elastic bands, knitted sack.

No. 70. Each, 25c.

Non-elastic waist bands, full elastic buttock band, knitted sack.

No. 71. Each, 35c

Elastic bands, fine English knitted sack.

No. 72. Each, 50c.

Elastic bands, all silk sack, warranted not to chafe.

No. 73½. Each, 75c.

Elastic bands, fine Swiss bolting silk sack, satin top piece.

No. 75. Each, \$1.00

Silk elastic bands, finest Swiss bolting silk sack, satin trimmings.

No. 76. Each, \$1.25

Old Point Comfort Suspensory

Elastic bands, adjusting buckles, lisle thread sack.

No. 2. Each, \$1.00

Elastic bands, adjusting buckles, satin trimmings, fine knitted silk sack.

No. 3. Each, \$1.25

Silk elastic bands, adjusting buckles, satin trimmings, fine knitted silk sack.

No. 4. Each, \$1.50



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SPALDING'S BASE BALL BELTS

WORSTED WEB BELTS.

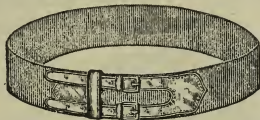
No. A, Red. No. B, Blue. No. C, Navy Blue. No. D, Brown. No. E, Black. No. F, White. No. J, Maroon.
No. K, Old Gold.



Special League Belt, 2½ inches wide, leather lined,
large nickel-plated buckle.
No. 3/O. Each, 85c.



League Belt, 2½ inches wide, large nickel-plated buckle.
No. 2 O. Each, 60c.



2½ inches wide, double strap, leather covered buckle.
No. 2. Each, 50c.



2½ inches wide, single strap, leather covered buckle.
No. 47. Each, 50c

COTTON WEB BELTS.

No. L, Red. No. M, Blue. No. Q, White. No. T, Maroon. No. V, Navy Blue.



Cotton Web Belt, 2½ inches wide, leather mounted,
single strap and buckle.
No. 4. Each, 25c.



Cotton Web Belt, 2½ inches wide, double strap, nickel
buckle.
No. 23. Each, 30c.

SPALDING'S BASE BALL STOCKINGS



Our "Highest Quality" Stockings
are superior to anything ever offered
for athletic wear, and combine all
the essentials of a perfect stocking.
They are heavy ribbed, full fash-
ioned, hug the leg closely but com-
fortably, and are very durable. The
weaving is of an exclusive and un-
usually handsome design.

No. 3/O. Plain colors. Pair, \$1.75
No. 3/O. Striped, any colors, 2.00

Colors: Black, Navy, Ma-
roon and Gray, and other
special colors to order.



RIBBED STOCKINGS.

In Stripes.

No. 1RS. Heavy weight, \$1.35
No. 2RS. Medium weight, 1.10

Plain Colors.

No. 1R. Heavy weight,
all wool. Pair, \$1.00
No. 2R. Medium weight,
all wool. Pair, 80c.
No. 3R. Good weight,
all wool. Pair, 60c.
No. 4R. Cotton. Pair, 25c.

Colors: Black, Navy, Maroon,
Royal Blue and Scarlet.



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SPALDING'S BASE BALL CAPS

Our line of Caps is unequalled for quality, style and workmanship. We make them in five different grades and the various styles in qualities only as indicated under each style. When ordering be sure and state **Number, Size** **Quality** and **Color**.

CHICAGO STYLE



No. 5

Made in O, 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th Qualities.

BOSTON STYLE



No. 25

Made in O, 1st, 2d and 3d Qualities.

O QUALITY—White, Pearl Gray, Yale Gray, Light Gray, Dark Gray, Black, Maroon, Royal Blue, Old Gold, Navy Blue, Brown, Green.

Each, **\$1.00**

1st QUALITY—White, Pearl Gray, Yale Gray, Light Gray, Dark Gray, Black, Maroon, Royal Blue, Old Gold, Navy Blue, Brown, Green.

Each, **90c.**

2d QUALITY—White, Pearl Gray, Yale Gray, Light Gray, Dark Gray, Black, Maroon, Royal Blue, Old Gold, Navy Blue, Brown, Green.

Each, **80c.**

3d QUALITY—White, Pearl Gray, Yale Gray, Light Gray, Dark Gray, Black, Maroon, Royal Blue, Navy Blue, Brown.

Each, **60c.**

4th QUALITY—White, Light Gray, Blue Gray, Brown Mix, Dark Gray.

Each, **50c.**

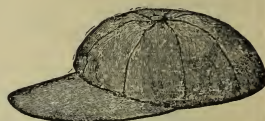
COLLEGE STYLE



No. 21

Made in O, 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th Qualities.

UNIVERSITY STYLE



No. 23

Made in O and 1st Qualities only.

BASE BALL SHIRTS AND PANTS



Lace.
or
Button
Front.
Price
includes
Lettering
on Shirts.



Spalding Shirt, any style, . . . **\$6.00**
 "University" Shirt, any style, . . . **5.00**
 "Interscholastic" Shirt, any style, . . . **4.00**
 "Club Special" Shirt, any style, . . . **2.75**
 "Amateur Special" Shirt, any style, . . . **2.00**

Detachable Sleeves on Shirts, **50c.** each shirt extra.



ELASTIC BOTTOM.



TAPE BOTTOM.

PADDED

Spalding Pants, any style, . . . **\$6.00**
 "University" Pants, any style, . . . **5.00**
 "Interscholastic" Pants, any style, . . . **3.75**
 "Club Special" Pants, any style, . . . **2.75**
 "Amateur Special" Pants, any style, . . . **2.00**

When ordering, give measurements as shown in diagram at bottom of "Base Ball Shoes" page.

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SPALDING'S BASE BALL SHOES

The Spalding
HOLD IT QUALITY

Our "Highest Quality" Base Ball Shoe is hand-made throughout, and of specially selected kangaroo leather.. Extreme care is taken in its general construction, and no pains or expense spared in making this shoe not only of the very highest in quality but a perfect shoe in every detail. The plate, made exclusively for this shoe, are of the finest hand-forged steel and firmly riveted to heel and sole.

No. 2-0. Per pair, \$7.50



PRINTING....

Same quality as our No. 2-0 shoe, but built on our famous running shoe last. Weigh about eighteen ounces to the pair and made with extra care throughout.

No. 30 S. Per pair, \$8.50



CLUB SPECIAL...

Made of carefully selected satin-calfskin, machine sewed, very substantially constructed, and a first-class shoe in every particular. Steel plates riveted to heel and sole.

No. **33.** Per pair, **\$5.00**



AMATEUR SPECIAL

Made of good quality calfskin, machine sewed. A serviceable and durable shoe, and one we can specially recommend. Plates riveted to heel and sole.

No. 35. Per pair, \$3.50

HOW TO ORDER UNIFORMS



DIAGRAMS FOR MEASUREMENTS.

Samples of flannels and special measurement blanks mailed to clubs and others interested on application. If in a hurry for uniforms, and no sample or measurement blanks on hand, follow the instructions given below, give us an idea of color desired and we will use our judgment in getting up same. Our many years of experience will enable us to make a more pleasing combination than parties unused to selecting materials and trimmings for uniforms. In sending order remit a deposit of at least 25 per cent. of amount of order.

TO MEASURE FOR UNIFORMS

Cut out bottom line on this page, paste at top of letter, and enter and measure each man separately, as indicated by the numbers given and shown on diagrams. Use this form in absence of special measurement blanks.

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A.G. SPALDING & BROS.



NEW YORK AND CHICAGO

SPALDING'S BASE BALL UNIFORMS



Our line of flannels for Base Ball Uniforms consists of the best qualities in the respective grades, and the most desirable colors for Base Ball Uniforms. Each grade is kept up to the highest point of excellence, and quality improved wherever possible every season. We are outfitters to all the League clubs and colleges throughout the country. Our uniforms are cut on scientific principles and are practically correct and are not to be classed with the cheap and worthless imitations that our dealers offer as being "just as good as Spalding's." The flannels we use are thoroughly sponged, and great care is taken in selecting only the goods that are strong and adapted to Base Ball use.

The Spalding Uniform, No. 0

HIGHEST GRADE MADE.

The workmanship and material of this outfit is of the very highest quality throughout, and special care has been taken to make this uniform superior to anything offered in this line. Used exclusively all league and professional clubs for years past, is sufficient evidence of its quality and durability. Colors: White, Pearl Gray, Yale Gray, Light Gray, Dark Gray, Black, Maroon, Royal Blue, Old Gold, Navy Blue, Brown, Green.

- The Spalding Shirt, any style.
- The Spalding Padded Pants, any style.
- The Spalding Stockings, high grade.
- The Spalding Cap, any style.
- The Spalding Web Belt, leather lined.

THE SPALDING UNIFORM, COMPLETE, \$15 60

Net Price to Clubs Ordering for Entire Team, \$12.75 Per Suit

The University Uniform, No. 1

In workmanship and quality of material equal to our No. 0 Uniform, good weight flannel. Colors: White, Pearl Gray, Yale Gray, Light Gray, Dark Gray, Black, Maroon, Royal Blue, Old Gold, Navy Blue, Brown, Green. Consisting of

- The University Shirt, any style.
- The University Padded Pants, any style.
- The University Cap, any style.
- The University Web (or all Leather) Belts.
- The University Stockings, all wool.

THE UNIVERSITY SUIT, COMPLETE, \$12.50

Net Price to Clubs Ordering for Entire Team, \$10.00 Per Suit

The Interscholastic Uniform No. 2

Made of same grade of material as our higher-priced uniforms, but of lighter weight flannel. Substantially made and a most serviceable outfit. Colors: White, Pearl Gray, Yale Gray, Light Gray, Dark Gray, Black, Maroon, Royal Blue, Old Gold, Navy Blue, Brown, Green. This is one of our most popular suits, and will give the best of satisfaction. Can usually be used two seasons.

- The Interscholastic Shirt, any style.
- The Interscholastic Pants, padded, any style.
- The Interscholastic Quality Cap, any style.
- The Interscholastic Web Belt.
- The Interscholastic Wool Stockings.

THE INTERSCHOLASTIC SUIT, COMPLETE, \$9.65

Net Price to Clubs Ordering for Entire Team, \$8.00 Per Suit

No extra charge for lettering shirts with name of club. Detachable sleeves, 50c. each shirt extra.

The Club Special Uniform No. 3

Made of good quality flannel in a variety of very desirable patterns. Well finished and a most excellent outfit for amateur club. Colors: White, Pearl Gray, Yale Gray, Light Gray, Dark Gray, Black, Maroon, Royal Blue, Navy Blue, Brown. A most desirable Young Men's Suit. Elegantly made, and of good, strong, handsome material. On exactly same patterns as the League suits.

- The Club Special Shirt, any style.
- The Club Special Pants, any style.
- The Club Special Cap.
- The Club Special Web Belt.
- The Club Special Stockings, all

THE CLUB SPECIAL SUIT, COMPLETE, \$7.00

Net Price to Clubs Ordering for Entire Team, \$5.50 Per Suit

The Amateur Special Uniform No. 4

Made of good quality flannel and compares favorably with forms of other makers quoted at a much higher price. An excellent wearing uniform, cut and finished as well as our higher-priced suits. Very popular with the younger base ball players. Colors: White, Light Gray, Blue Gray, Brown Mix, Dark Gray.

- The Amateur Special Shirt, any style.
- The Amateur Special Pants, padded, any style.
- The Amateur Special Quality Cap.
- The Amateur Special Web Belt.
- The Amateur Special Stockings.

AMATEUR SPECIAL SUIT, COMPLETE, \$5.00

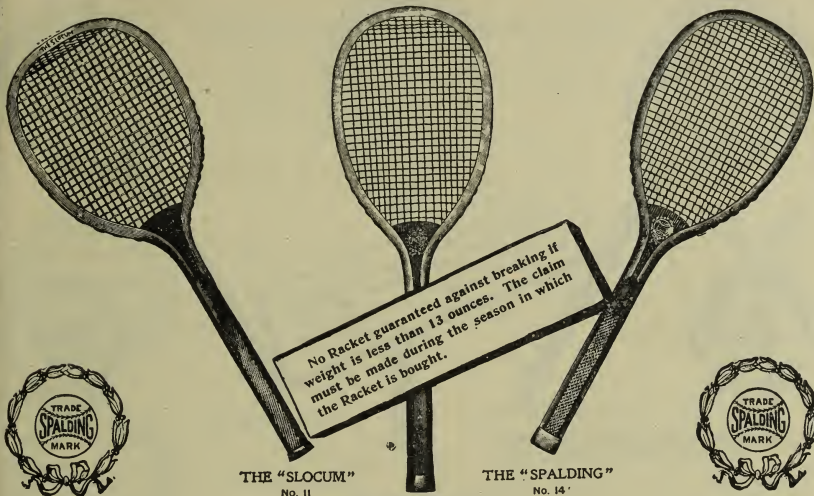
Net Price to Clubs Ordering for Entire Team, \$4.00 Per Suit

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SPALDING'S TENNIS RACKETS



THE "SLOCUM"
No. 11

THE "SPALDING"
No. 14

..THE "SPALDING" No. 13...

THE "SPALDING"—Cane Handle

New Model. Frame, finest quality white ash, handsomely polished; stringing, finest quality imported gut, rosewood throat-piece; spliced cane handle extending through throat-piece, giving additional strength and driving power. Hand-made throughout, of finest possible workmanship, as indicated by our special trade-mark, indicating highest quality.

No. 13. Each, \$7.00

THE "SPALDING"—Combed Mahogany Handle

New Model. Frame, finest quality white ash, handsomely polished; stringing, finest quality imported gut. This racket is hand-made throughout; all work, material and finish of highest quality obtainable, as indicated by our special trade-mark, indicating highest quality.

No. 14. Each, \$6.00

THE "SLOCUM TOURNAMENT"

Finest white ash frame; stringing of best oriental white gut; oak throat-piece, antique finish; polished mahogany handle, finely checkered, leather capped.

No. 11. Each, \$5.00

THE "SLOCUM"

Frame of selected white ash; white oriental "B" main strings and red cross strings; oak throat-piece, antique finish; cedar or cork handle, polished and checkered, leather capped.

No. 9. Cedar Handle, Each, \$4.00

No. 9C. Cork Handle, " 4.50

THE "SLOCUM JUNIOR"

Frame of fine white ash; polished walnut throat-piece; checkered cedar handle, and strung with all white oriental gut.

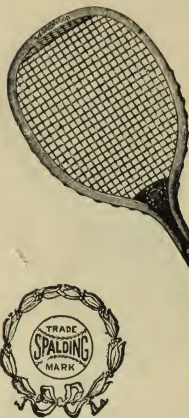
No. 8. The "Slocum Junior" Racket, Each, \$3.00

A.G. SPALDING & BROS.

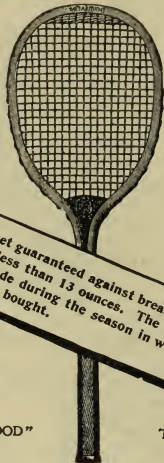


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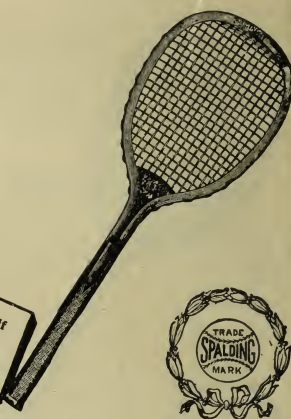
SPALDING'S TENNIS RACKETS



THE "GREENWOOD"



THE "LAKESIDE"



THE "GENEVA"

No Racket guaranteed against breaking if weight is less than 13 ounces. The claim must be made during the season in which the Racket is bought.



THE "FAVORITE"

THE "LAKESIDE."

Slocum shape, trifle smaller in size; frame of white ash, polished walnut throat-piece; stringing of good quality white Oriental gut; checkered cedar handle, leather capped.

No. 5. THE "LAKESIDE" RACKET. Each, \$2.50

THE "GREENWOOD."

Slocum shape and trifle smaller than the "Lakeside;" frame of good white ash; polished walnut throat-piece; stringing of good quality red and white gut; checkered cedar handle, leather capped.

No. 4. THE "GREENWOOD" RACKET. Each, \$2.00

THE "GENEVA."

Slocum shape and size smaller than the No. 4 Racket; frame of white ash, polished walnut throat-piece; strung with red and white gut; checkered cedar handle, leather capped.

No. 3. THE "GENEVA" RACKET. Each, \$1.50

THE "FAVORITE."

Frame of white ash, polished walnut throat-piece; red and white gut; checkered cedar handle, leather capped. A splendid racket for boys and girls.

No. 2. THE "FAVORITE" RACKET. Each, \$1.00

THE "PRACTICE."

Frame of white ash, walnut throat-piece; red and white gut; checkered cedar handle, leather capped. A serviceable racket for children.

No. 1. THE "PRACTICE" RACKET. Each, 75c.



THE "PRACTICE"

A.G. SPALDING & BROS.



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SPALDING'S TENNIS GOODS



Spalding's Tournament Balls

Regulation size and weight, fine felt cover, carefully constructed throughout, and of uniform quality.

No. 0. Per Dozen, \$4.00



Wright & Ditson "Championship" Tennis Ball

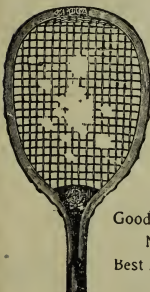
No. 5. Per dozen, \$5.00



Practice

Tennis Ball

No. 7. Per dozen, \$3.00



Rackets Restring

We make a specialty of this branch of our business, and are constantly in receipt of rackets to be restrung, of every known make, from all parts of the United States and Canada. This work is done by our most scientific stringers, and none but first quality gut is used.

Good American Gut, White only.

No. CA. Each, \$1.25

Best American Gut, White, Red, or Red and White.

No. BA. Each, \$1.75

Best English Gut, White, Red, or Red and White.

No. BE. Each, \$2.75

Star Racket Press

This press is cheap, simple and durable. Every player should keep his racket in one of them when not in use, to prevent warping, especially when it has been exposed to moisture or use at the seashore.



No. 1. Polished Whitewood, \$1.00

Rubber Handle Covers



For covering racket handles to secure better grip. Made of corrugated rubber.

No. 1. Rubber Handle Covers, Each, 25c

Racket Covers



No. 1



No. 2



No.

No. 1. Soft felt cover, . . . Each, \$.50

No. 2. Waterproof canvas, leather bound, .75

No. 4. Mackintosh cover, thoroughly waterproof, 1.00

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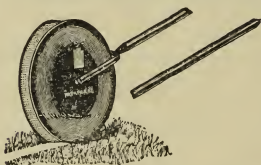
Game of Squash



No. 16.
Squash Racket,
Each, \$3.00

No. 9.
Squash Ball,
Per doz., \$4.00

Dry Tennis Marker



No mixing of material. Uses marble dust and slacked lime, etc.

No. 2. Each, \$2.00

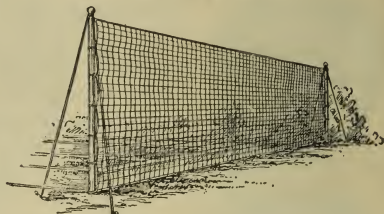
Guy Ropes and Pegs For Tennis Nets



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|--------|---------------------------|---------------|
| No. 1. | Hemp ropes, plain pegs, | Per set, 25c. |
| No. 2. | Cotton ropes, plain pegs, | " 50c |
| No. 3. | Cotton ropes, fancy pegs, | " 85c |

No. 3 Will Answer for Backstop Nets

Backstop Nets



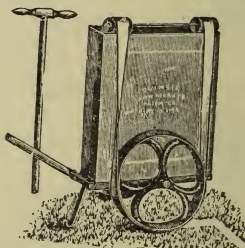
Nets, Without Poles

- No. 4. White, 50 ft. long, 7 ft. high, 9 thread, \$2.50
No. 5. White, 50 ft. long, 8 ft. high, 12 thread, 3.25

Poles Only

- No. B S. Backstop Net Poles, Each, \$4.00

Columbia Tennis Marker



Makes a clean, even ribbon line, with contact in full view,

No. 1. Each, \$5.00

Lawn Tennis Measure



Diagram on side plate and directions for measuring and laying out single or double courts.

No. 1. Each, \$1.50

Spalding's Lawn Tennis Annual

For 1900

Contains rules, portraits, scores of tournaments and official fixtures for the season.

Per copy 10c.



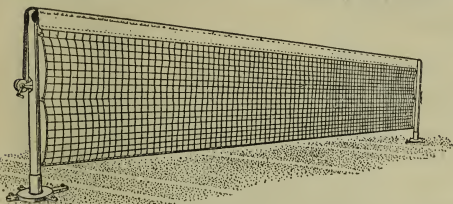
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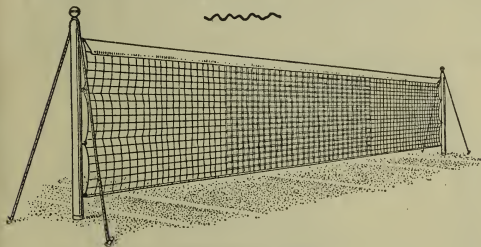
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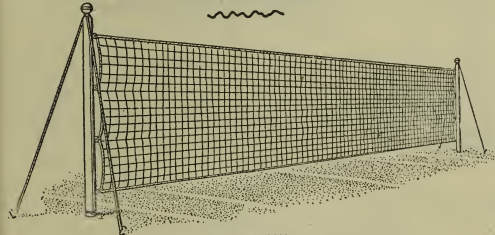
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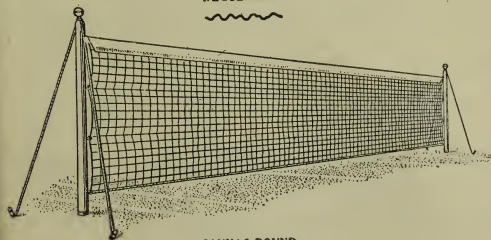
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PATENT DOUBLE CENTRE.



REGULATION.



CANVAS BOUND.

Intercollegiate Nets.

Hand knit of best quality twine. Extra wide canvas strip at top. Same style and quality as used at Newport and all championship events.

Double Court, 36 feet, 21 thread, hand made.

No. **2E.** Each, **\$3.50**

Double Court, 42 feet, 21 thread, hand made.

No. **3E.** Each, **\$4.00**

Spalding's

Patent Double Centre Nets.

They are hand knitted, and in the centre, where most of the wear comes, have double twine knitted together for 11 to 13 feet, according to size of net. Will outlast two or more ordinary nets.

WHITE, 15 THREAD, DOUBLE COURT.

Length, 36 feet, double centre, 11 feet.

No. **2C.** Price, **\$4.50**

Length, 42 feet, double centre, 13 feet.

No. **3C.** Price, **\$5.00**

WHITE, 21 THREAD, DOUBLE COURT.

Length, 36 feet, double centre, 11 feet.

No. **2D.** Price, **\$5.00**

Length, 42 feet, double centre, 13 feet.

No. **3D.** Price, **\$5.50**

Spalding's

Regulation Tennis Nets.

Machine Made.

Single Court, 27 feet, 12 thread. White.

No. **1.** Price, **75c.**

Double Court, 36 feet, 15 thread. White.

No. **2.** Price, **\$1.25**

Double Court, 42 feet, 15 thread. White.

No. **3.** Price, **\$1.50**

Spalding's Canvas Bound Nets

Machine Made.

Double Court, 36 feet, 15 thread. White.

No. **2A.** Price, **\$2.00**

Double Court, 42 feet, 15 thread. White.

No. **3A.** Price, **\$2.25**

Hand Made.

Double Court, 36 feet, 21 thread. White.

No. **2B.** Price, **\$3.00**

Double Court, 42 feet, 21 thread. White.

No. **3B.** Price, **\$3.25**

Tanned and Tarred Nets to Order Only.

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SPALDING'S TENNIS GOODS

JOINTED POLES.

- No. 1. Jointed Poles, ordinary quality, . . . Per pair, **\$1.00**
 No. 3. Jointed Poles, best quality, polished, . . . **1.75**

SOLID POLES.

- No. 4X. Solid Poles, ordinary quality, . . . **\$.85**
 No. 4A. Solid Poles, finely polished and spiked, . . . **1.25**
 No. 5. Solid poles, finest quality, highly polished, with spikes, **2.50**

IRON CENTRE FORKS.

- No. 1. Regulation, patent stirrups, . . . Each, **\$1.00**
 No. 2. Cheap Iron Fork, . . . **.60**



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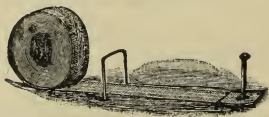
TOURNAMENT POLES.

These poles do away with guy ropes, are easily and quickly adjusted, and are strong and durable, being made of solid ash finely finished, with heavy iron bases and pins for fastening firmly to ground. The net is adjusted by small ratchet crank illustrated in cut.

- No. 10. Per pair, **\$5.00**



PORTABLE MARKING TAPES.



For Single Court, complete with 100 staples and pins.

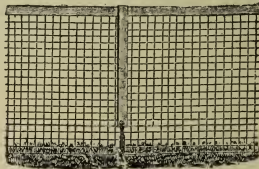
- No. 3. Per set, **\$3.00**

For Double Court, complete with 200 staples and 14 pins.

- No. 4. Per set, **\$3.50**

- No. 5. Extra Staples, Per 100, **50c.**

CANVAS CENTRE STRAP.



NO. 3-0.

This is a new device for holding centre of net at regulation height, three feet, and is vastly superior to the ordinary centre iron. It serves the purpose intended perfectly, does not chafe the net, and cannot possibly cause the ball to glance off and strike out of court, as is occasionally the case with an iron centre fork.

- No. 2-0. Canvas Centre Strap, Each, **\$1.00**

TOURNAMENT PATTERN.

Same as above, only fitted with a turn-buckle, with which height of net can be adjusted to a hair. Very desirable for tournament or match games.

- No. 3-0. Tournament Pattern, Each, **\$1.50**

MARKING PLATES.



For permanently marking the angles of court. Made of malleable iron and painted white. A set consists of eight corner and two T pieces.

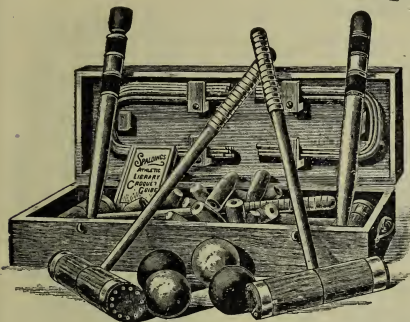
- No. 1. Marking Plates, Per set, **\$1.00**

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SPALDING'S CROQUET SETS



No. 50 Croquet Set

Consisting of 4 Mallets, 9-inch persimmon heads, leather cap on one end, plated bands, 24-inch hickory handles, threaded, head and handle extra fine finish; 4 Balls, dogwood, nicely painted solid red, blue, white and black, and extra coat of varnish; 2 Stakes, extra heavy head and foot stake, nicely painted red, blue, white and black, and extra coat of varnish; 10 Wickets, extra heavy steel wire, nicely japanned white; 20 Sockets for Wickets, 1 Copy Rules.

No. 50. Complete, in box, \$12.00

No. 40 Croquet Set

4 mallets, 9-inch persimmon heads, 24-inch hickory handles, threaded to head, painted red, blue, white and black, and coat of varnish; 4 Balls, dogwood, painted solid red, blue, white and black, and varnished; 2 Stakes, extra heavy, painted red, blue, white and black, and varnished; 10 Wickets, extra heavy steel wire, japanned white; 20 Sockets for Wickets, 1 Copy Rules.

No. 40. Complete, in box, \$8.00

No. 20 Croquet Set

8 Mallets, 8-inch maple heads, 24-inch ash handles, glued to head, nicely varnished; 8 Balls, maple, painted solid red, blue, black, white, green, purple, yellow and brown, and varnished; 2 Stakes, varnished; 10 Wickets, japanned white; 20 Sockets for Wickets; 1 Copy Rules; 1 Box, glued cover.

No. 20. Complete, in box, \$6.00

No. 30 Croquet Set

4 Mallets, 8-inch persimmon heads, 24-inch hickory handles, glued to head, nicely painted red, blue, white and black, and varnished; 4 Maple Balls, nicely painted solid red, blue, white and black, and varnished; 2 Stakes, painted red, blue, white and black; 10 Wickets, steel wire, japanned white; 20 Sockets for Wickets; 1 Copy Rules.

No. 30. Complete, in box, \$6.00

No. 10 Croquet Set

4 Mallets, 8-inch maple heads, 24-inch ash handles, glued to head, nicely varnished; 4 Balls, maple, painted solid red, blue, white and black, and varnished; 2 Stakes, varnished; 10 Wickets, japanned white; 20 Sockets for Wickets; 1 Copy Rules.

No. 10. Complete, in box, \$4.00

Mallets

Expert Roque Mallet. Same style as used by all competitors in the championship events at Norwich and Washington. Metal bands, nickel plated, extra heavy rubber tip at one end. Handles 17-inch, with 2 or 2 1/4-inch head. Other length handles to order only.

Each, \$4.00

Persimmon head, leather cap on one end, plated bands, hickory handle, threaded, finely polished, packed in box, with 12-inch handle.

No. 16. Mallet, \$2.50

Persimmon head, hickory handle, either 18 or 24-inch, threaded and finely finished.

No. 17. Mallet, \$1.50

Dogwood head, hickory handle, either 18 or 24-inch, glued to head, nicely finished.

No. 14. Mallet, \$1.00

Balls

Made of gutta percha, warranted unbreakable, printed solid red, blue, white and black, regulation size and weight, packed in box.

No. 1B. Per set of 4, \$10.00

Maple balls, painted solid red, blue, white and black, and varnished, packed in box.

No. 3B. Per set of four, \$1.25

Stakes

Heavy Stakes, head stake painted red, blue white, black, green, purple, yellow and brown, and varnished.

No. 2. Per pair, 75c.

Wickets

Heavy steel wire, heavily japanned white, packed in box.

No. 1. Per set of ten, \$1.25

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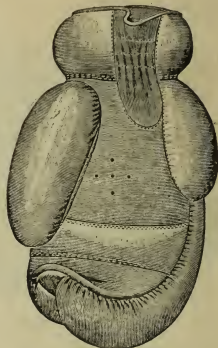
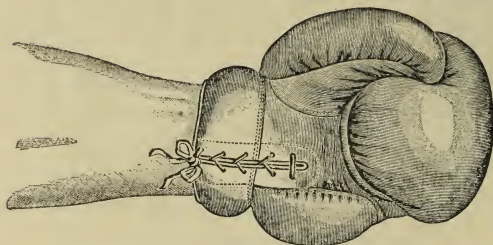


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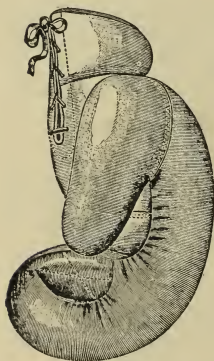
SPALDING'S BOXING GLOVES

Spalding's Special "Club" Glove

PATENTED



No. 120



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THE "CLUB" BOXING GLOVES are made after the same general design as our "Championship" glove, with the addition of an entirely new idea (which has been patented and is controlled by us) for the protection of the thumb, consisting of an open pocket in the end of the glove where the thumb naturally rests when the hand is closed in the glove, thus giving absolute protection to the thumb when boxing. The wrists are padded, and the glove is made in such a way that a perfect pad for the heel of the hand is provided. Each glove has the celebrated Graham grip. The leather is very fine and of superior quality. The filling is of the best curled hair obtainable and the workmanship of the highest grade. We commend this glove as one that can be used without any chance of injury to the thumbs, hands or wrists. Each glove is thoroughly examined, and they are packed one set of four gloves in a box.

The "Club" Boxing Glove, 8 oz., very soft. The glove for Instructors and Amateurs.

No. 120. Per set of four, \$7.00

The "Club," Professional Size, Laced Wristband,

No. 122. Per set of four, \$7.00

THE A. J. REACH CO. Celebrated

CORBETT GLOVE

(TRADE MARK)

MADE OF THE FINEST
QUALITY MATERIAL THROUGHOUT

No. 10. Corbett Glove, 5 oz. Per set, \$6.00
No. 10. Corbett Glove, 6 oz. Per set, 6.00



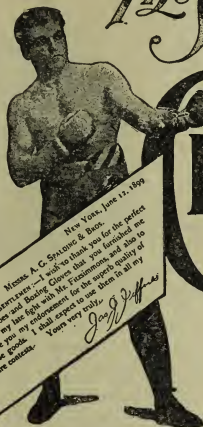
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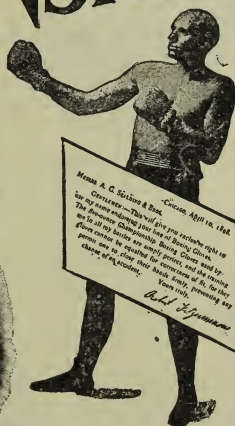
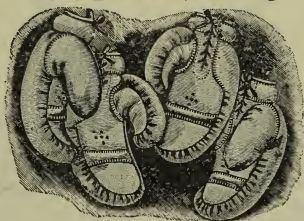
SPALDING'S BOXING GLOVES

The SPALDING CHAMPIONSHIP BOXING GLOVES



New York, June 17, 1899.
Messrs. A. G. Spalding & Bros.
Gentlemen—I wish to thank you for the perfect
Shoes and Boxing Gloves that you furnished me
for my last fight with Mr. Fitzsimmons and also to
give you my endorsement for the superb quality of
these goods. I shall expect to use them in all my
future contests. Yours very truly,
Joe Jeffries

USED AND
ENDORSED BY THE
CHAMPIONS
OF THE WORLD.



Chicago, April 10, 1900.
Messrs. A. G. Spalding & Bros.
Gentlemen—The suit you sent me right to
my name and the first lot of boxing gloves.
The American Championship Boxing Gloves sold by
you to all my friends are simply perfect, and the leather
gives them the quality for protection of the hands.
I am sure to use them for some time, for they
prevent me to drop their hands easily, permitting any
change of my strategy.
Yours truly,
Bob Fitzsimmons

THE SPALDING "CHAMPIONSHIP GLOVES" are endorsed by all champions and have been exclusively used for years in championship contests and in training. The material and workmanship are of highest quality, the fit is perfect, and by their peculiar construction, absolutely prevent any chance of injury to the hands or wrists. Each set is carefully inspected before packing, and guaranteed in every particular. Made in three sizes, in sets of four gloves.

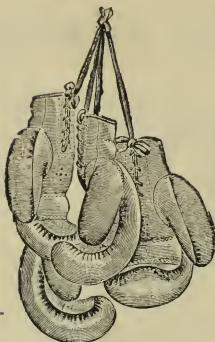
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| No. 115. | The Spalding "Championship" Glove, 5 oz. | Per set, \$6.00 |
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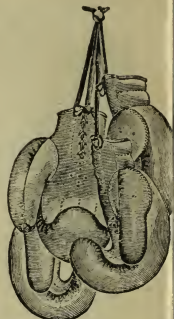
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Corbett Pattern, gambia tan leather, well padded with hair, laced wristband.

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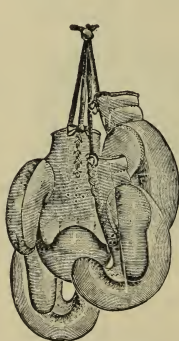
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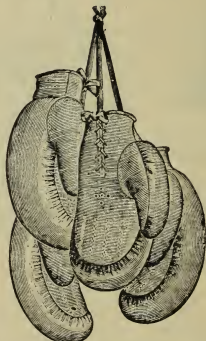
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Corbett Pattern, soft craven tan leather, well padded with hair.

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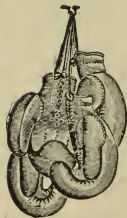
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Corbett Pattern, light colored soft tanned leather, nicely padded with hair, laced wristband.

No. 21. Per set, \$1.75

Regular Pattern, light colored soft tanned leather, well padded with hair, laced wristband

No. 23. Per set, \$1.50



No. 35.
Corbett Pattern

Youths' size, Corbett Pattern, soft craven tan leather, well padded, laced wristband.

No. 35. Per set, \$1.75

Youths' size, Corbett Pattern, soft tanned leather, laced wristband.

No. 30. Per set, \$1.50

Youths' size, regular pattern, soft tanned leather, laced wristband.

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No. 25.
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Same as "Fitzsimmons Special," but trifle smaller in size, and lighter; intended for very speedy work.

No. 18S. Complete, in box, \$5.00

Regulation size, olive tanned leather cover, double stitched, one-piece top and welted seams. Reinforced loop. This bag is particularly adapted for quick work.

No. 12. Complete, in box, \$3.50

Regulation size, made of specially tanned glove leather, substantially put together, one-piece top and welted seams. Double stitched and reinforced throughout.

No. 10. Complete, in box, \$3.00

Regulation size, made of fine maroon tanned leather. Well finished, one-piece top and welted seams.

No. 17. Complete, in box, \$2.25

Medium size, extra fine grain leather cover, one-piece top and well made throughout.

No. 16. Complete, in box, \$1.75

Medium size, soft tanned leather cover, one-piece top and welted seams.

No. 14. Complete, in box, \$1.00

Striking Bag Swivels

Ball and Socket Action

The part containing socket and to which rope is attached (Fig. 2) unscrews from base, permitting the bag to be quickly suspended without readjusting the height, and as readily removed when not in use.

No. 9. Nickel-plated, \$1.00

Ball Bearing

Ball Bearing Swivel, same style as No. 9, with addition of ball bearings.

No. 10. Nickel-plated, \$2.00



Fig. 1



Fig. 2

Extra Bladders for Swinging
Striking Bags

No. B. Bladders for No. 14 bag, 50c.

No. 25. Bladders for No. 16 bag, 50c.

No. 27. Bladders for Nos. 12, 10, 17 bags, 70c.

The above bladders are carefully tested before packing, but not otherwise guaranteed in any way.

Guaranteed

No. OS. Pure gum bladder for Nos. 18, 18S, 19, Each, \$1.25



(No. 11)

Iron Swivel

Swivel action, japanned iron, fastens permanently to disc, and rope is attached to ring.

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No. 7. Complete in box. Each, **\$5.00**

No. 6. Extra fine olive tanned leather cover. Double stitched, welted seams, and reinforced one-piece top. Extra well made throughout. Complete, **\$4.00**

No. 5. Regulation size, specially tanned glove leather cover, one-piece top, welted seams, double stitched and substantially made. Complete, **\$3.50**

No. 4. Regulation size, fine grain leather cover and well made throughout, one-piece top reinforced. Complete, **\$2.25**

No. 3. Medium size, substantial leather cover, one-piece top, reinforced and welted seams. Complete, **\$1.75**

No. 2. Medium size, good quality soft tanned leather, substantially made, two-piece top, double stitched. **\$1.00**

Each bag complete in box, with bladder, rubber cord for floor and rope for ceiling attachment.

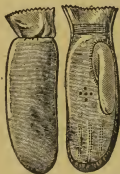


The one-piece top greatly strengthens the bag where most of the strain comes, and is used on all of our bags this season except where otherwise noted.



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Made of soft tanned leather, properly shaped and padded, substantially put together.

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Made of soft tanned leather, padded and well made.

No. 3. Per pair, **50c.**

EXTRA BLADDERS

No. B. Bladders for Nos. 2 and 3. **50c.**

No. 25. Bladders for No. 4. **50c.**

No. 27. Bladders for Nos. 5 and 6. **70c.**

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No. OS. Bladder for No. 7, pure gum and fully guaranteed. Each, **\$1.25**

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